WEATHER SYNOPSIS

The barometer is rising on the Coast, and rain is again reported in the Okanagan district. Abnormally heavy rain is reported in Southern Alberta.

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CHINESE BOLSHEVIKS SEEK RECRUITS IN CANADA

Migration Movement Approaches More Closely to Objective

Mr. E. W. Beatty, President of Canadian Pacific Railway, Speaks on Immigration—New Passenger Ship Will Be Added to Pacific Ocean Fleet When Trade Warrants

Peace River Rail Issue Awaits Report Of Engineers to Gather Fullest Data

"THE immigration situation in Canada is undoubtedly better and the number of immigrants admitted to Canada this year should substantially exceed any year since 1914," said Mr. E. W. Beatty, K.C., president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, on his arrival in Vancouver last evening on his yearly tour of inspection. Mr. Beatty is accompanied on his special train by Mr. D. C. Coleman, vice-president of the company for Western lines, and by Mr. C. A. Cotterell, general superintendent for the British Columbia district.

Mr. Beatty and Mr. Coleman will proceed to Victoria this afternoon, remaining in the city until tomorrow night.

"I have often said," remarked Mr. Beatty, "that Canada could readily absorb 300,000 people per annum and while we will not reach this figure in 1927 we will approach it more closely than in any previous year. Unless we are all very mistaken, Canada is entering a period of great prosperity and expansion. New people and new money will materially expedite this expansion."

NEW SHIP ON PACIFIC

Discussing the shipping situation on the Pacific, Mr. Beatty stated that the Empress of Australia would be replaced by another ship just as soon as conditions warranted it. The company's present programme for the provision of new tonnage would be completed, however, before further contracts were let, he stated. "We do not contemplate the establishment of an exclusively freight service on the Pacific at the present time," he added.

CROP SITUATION

On the matter of the Western Canadian grain crop situation, the president said as follows: "Whether or not the wet weather already experienced on the Prairies will result in a substantial decrease in acreage will depend on the weather soil conditions during the next ten days. If reasonably dry weather is experienced I feel fairly well satisfied that the decrease in acreage will be more than made up by the increased yield per acre. It must not be forgotten that in many previous years in which the weather conditions at the beginning were adverse, very satisfactory crops have been obtained, and the moisture conditions being extraordinarily good, I am very hopeful of a substantial crop this year."

PEACE RIVER CONNECTION

The president dealt at length with the Peace River Railway situation, and stated that the most complete data was being prepared by the company's engineers. "There is nothing new," said Mr. Beatty, "in the Peace River situation, and no plans for extensions to

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SOVIET PAPERS THINK CANADA DISAPPOINTED

Moscow Isvestia Says Mackenzie King Wished to Keep Faith With Britain But Hated to Lose Trade

CONSULATE GENERAL IN LONDON CLOSING

Officials Are Packing Bag and Baggage in Compliance With Order to Leave England Within Ten Days

LONDON, May 28.—The Moscow Isvestia, official organ of the Soviet administration, today comments editorially on Canada's decision to follow Great Britain's example in severing official trade relations with the Union of Soviet Republics.

It says: "Mackenzie King hastened to declare that the Russo-Canadian break does not mean a break in trade. Canada evidently wanted to keep faith as a British Dominion and simultaneously profit through continued trade relations with this country, but she must be disappointed."

LONDON, May 28.—What will probably be the final official British communication to the Soviet Mission in London will be delivered at Chesham House early next week. It will be a list of the names of those Russians who will be permitted to remain in London.

Meanwhile hasty packing and preparations for departure were the order of the day at Chesham House and Soviet House, a sign being posted at the former place reading:

"The Consulate-General of the U.S.S.R. is closed."

The work of leaving, however, has proved so heavy that it was found necessary to postpone the sailing of the

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PLANS MATURED FOR U.C.T. MEET

TWO DAYS' CONVENTION OF TRAVELERS WILL BE HELD FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Chairmen of Committees in Charge of Arrangements Are Announced

Mr. A. C. Lindsay, senior counselor of the local council of the United Commercial Travelers, announced last evening that arrangements were now complete for the U.C.T. convention to be held here next Friday and Saturday.

Mr. Lindsay has received word that the following grand lodge officers would be presented:

Messrs. Joseph Bell, councillor, Tacoma; Fred William, junior councillor, Portland; W. B. Tulldge, past councillor, Vancouver; E. S. Malone, secretary, Bellingham; T. J. Pruden, treasurer, Seattle; C. L. J. Smith, conductor, Seattle; H. B. McKelvie, page, Vancouver; M. G. Hunter, sentinel, Victoria, and F. C. Wolf, chaplain, Tacoma. The following are members of the grand council: E. R. Krause, Spokane; William Brandies, Portland; J. G. Denholm, Victoria, and F. R. Kent, Vancouver.

The following are the chairmen of the various committees in charge of the convention: Messrs. A. Lindsay, finance; W. Hayward, decorating; W. Webster, entertainment and programme; E. Rowbottom, transportation, and E. M. McConnan, reception, registration and hotels.

Mr. Hayward, chairman of the decorating committee, is anxious that all local merchants display their flags during the convention.

President of Canadian Pacific Railway Arrives Here Today on Inspection Tour

MR. E. W. BEATTY, K.C.

Sea Fight of Fifty Years Ago Recalled by Victorian

Battle Between Two British Ships and Peruvian Ironclad Fifty Years Ago Today Is Described by Local Man Who Was There—Huascar Preyed on Merchantmen

A BATTLE fought off the South American coast fifty years ago today, in which a Peruvian ironclad warship turned pirate, was vanquished by two British men-o'-war, was recalled yesterday by Mr. W. Lambeth, 921 Lodge Avenue, Saanich, who fought in the engagement as a member of the crew of H.M.S. Shah.

Almost forgotten now, but really one of the most colorful incidents in the marine history of the Pacific, the sea battle was described for The Colonist by Mr. Lambeth last night.

With visions of starting a movement that would eventually win for him the presidency of Peru, the skipper of the Peruvian iron-clad Huascar, Mr. Lambeth said, deserted his fleet and took to the open sea.

Running short of coal and provisions, the Peruvian captain stopped merchantmen on the high seas and replenished his stores. The story of his depredations spread up and down the coast.

Putting in at Callao, Admiral De Horsey, commanding the H.M.S. Shah, and the H.M.S. Amethyst, was told by the British Consul there of the piratical activities of the Peruvian warship.

Admiral De Horsey promptly put to sea in search of the maurader. He himself was aboard the Shah, Mr. Lambeth's vessel, a full-rigged ship mounting broadsides of eighteen nine-inch guns in all. Scouring the waters of the coast, the British ships at last sighted the Huascar off Ylo.

The ships hove to, and the first lieutenant of the Shah boarded the Huascar and called on her commander to surrender. The Peruvian captain, commanding a steamship mounting heavy guns in turrets, flatly refused to strike his colors.

The British officer returned to the Shah, reported the result of his mission to Admiral De Horsey, and the fight began.

For fully an hour, Mr. Lambeth said last night, the battle raged. The British ships poured broadside after broadside into the Huascar. Eventually the Peruvian's turrets were put out of commission, and she broke off the fight.

With missiles from the British cannon hurtling after her, the Huascar stood in to seek shelter in the shallow waters of the coast. The two British vessels, drawing much more water than their antagonist, were unable to follow her and the battle ended.

Later, Mr. Lambeth said, the Huascar slipped away and joined the fleet she had earlier deserted, her commander surrendering to the Peruvian admiral.

Flyers Off to Cross Arctic "Blind Spot"

FAIRBANKS, Alaska, May 28.—With Grants Land, or Etah, Greenland, across the Arctic "Blind spot" as their ultimate goal, Captain George R. Wilkins, Australian explorer, and his pilot, Alger Graham, of Detroit, set out from Fairbanks today.

Their heavily-loaded plane failed to rise on the first attempt, but the second time the craft took the air and headed northwest in the direction of the Brooks Range.

Wilkins planned to fly to Point Barrow, the northernmost tip of the American continent, where the expedition has a large store of fuel and supplies.

Sir Arthur Currie to Attend Meeting Here

VANCOUVER, May 28.—General Sir Arthur Currie, principal of McGill University, and Mr. John Nelson, of Montreal, both former British Columbians, are coming to Vancouver about July 1 on their way to attend the 1927 Pan-Pacific Conference as Canadian delegates, it is stated by Colonel Bovey, of Montreal, executive assistant to Principal Currie.

The Pan-Pacific Conference is to be attended by representatives of the various nations fronting on the Pacific, and its deliberations are aimed at bringing about a better understanding on mutual problems, economic, social, commercial, etc.

Court Remands Milo Eggers for One Week

VANCOUVER, B.C., May 28.—Milo Eggers was remanded for one week in Oakalla Prison. Superintendent J. H. McMullen and Assistant Superintendent Walter Owens, of the Provincial Police, visited the prison for this purpose, Eggers' solicitor, J. A. Russell, also being present.

FIREMEN HAVE HECTIC NIGHT

ZERO CALL RINGS INCESSANTLY AS PEOPLE TELEPHONE ABOUT SPECTACULAR BEACH FIRE

Logs on Finlayson Beach Catch Fire—Firemen on Patrol All Night—Three False Alarms

Firemen had a hectic time last night. With a big beach fire raging at Finlayson Point all day yesterday and false alarms being turned in the department was kept quite busy.

The burning logs on Finlayson Point beach did not attract much attention until after dark last night, when the red glare from the flames shooting skyward alarmed nearby residents, who continually telephoned to headquarters. The blaze was a spectacular one, and up to the time of going to press, was still burning. Firemen patrolled the beach all night to prevent the fire spreading to brush and thence into Beacon Hill Park broom.

Coupled with this were three false alarms and no less than ten zero calls through telephone 23 giving notice of the fire at Finlayson Point. After hearing the repeated information, the operator had to ring to headquarters to tell them "Nothing doing" as the bell rang each time the zero call was put through, bringing the men out of their beds.

Dominion May Attend Disarmament Meeting

OTTAWA, May 28.—Canadian representation at the coming Coolidge Naval Disarmament Conference at Geneva will be considered, it is expected, at the next cabinet meeting on Tuesday. Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Minister of Justice, is returning from Australia via the Suez. It is possible that he will be invited to act as Canadian representative at the conference.

POWERS MEET RUSS MENACE IN MANCHURIA

Great Britain, United States and Japan Mobilizing Their Forces in Vicinity of Tientsin—To Evacuate Peking

STATE DEPARTMENT OF U.S. RETICENT

Soviet Adviser to Hankow Nationalists and Other Russians Reported to Have Left Hankow in Hurry

LONDON, May 28.—A Peking dispatch to The Sunday Express says that in consequence of a new Russian threat on the Manchurian frontier, the powers are considering two plans. The first involves complete evacuation of Peking towards Tientsin in the event of any menace to lives or property; the second, to dispatch immediately to Peking and Tientsin of an international force of 25,000, of which the British contribution would be an infantry brigade.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—Reports from London indicating an impending movement of American marines to Tientsin from Shanghai and the Philippines, were unexplained here today on the basis of State Department information.

It was pointed out, however, that the marines now held at Olongapo, in the Philippines, were sent there for possible use in protecting Americans at Tiensin should concentration there be necessary, and that Admiral Williams, commanding American forces in China, and Brigadier-General Butler, commander of the marines, would move them at their discretion.

Previously arranged plans called for assembly of Americans in Upper China at Tientsin in the event of the Northern armies retreated precipately before the advance of the Southern Nationalists, but recent official dispatches to Washington have not pictured any such turn in the tide of battle.

General Butler has been in conference with foreign commanders at Peking and Tientsin and it was regarded as possible that he may have obtained information from them which has prompted him to prepare to muster his marines at Tientsin.

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DENIES POLITICS INFLUENCE HIM

HON. W. H. SUTHERLAND SAYS ROAD APPROPRIATIONS ARE MADE FAIRLY

Minister of Public Works Declares Present Policy Is Worth While to Motorists of B.C.

"I do not agree with the principle that ridings that elect Conservatives should be penalized," said Hon. W. H. Sutherland, Minister of Public Works, at the meeting of the Esquimalt District Liberal Association in Luxton Hall last night.

"Because this riding has a majority of Conservatives why should the Liberals in it be penalized in the matter of roads?" he asked. "I have tried to deal fairly by all ridings in the Province," he continued.

Esquimalt, the Minister said, had had a fair share of the road expenditures as compared with other parts of the Province. Dr. Sutherland went into the experiments that had been tried out with respect to the use of tarvia, and heavy asphaltum oil in surfacing of roads. This had been tried out as an experiment at his suggestion on the Malahat in the first instance, and had proved a success. There had been fifty-two miles of road in Esquimalt so surfaced this year.

COMPARISON OF COST

Going into the need of this cheaper style of surfacing, the Minister explained that the laying of concrete road cost $40,000 a mile. The cost of the cheaper type of surfacing now being used was only $1,200 a mile. There was thus a saving in the latter, where it could be used, of perhaps $800 a mile per year over the interest on the investment on the concrete road. It thus became cheaper for the Government, even if there was surfacing done each year.

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Storm Sweeps Central Missouri; Four Killed

MOBERLY, Mo., May 28.—Total damage in the storm which swept through Central Missouri tonight was placed at more than $100,000, in reports reaching here. The death toll remained at four, while a score of injured are being cared for. Communication to the affected towns was completely gone until late this afternoon.

Wind, accompanied by heavy rain and hail, swept through parts of Randolph, Boone and Chariton counties, Yates, in Randolph County, suffered the greatest damage. All the deaths were reported from Yates, where the wind apparently reached its greatest velocity.

Oriental "Reds" of Vancouver Receive Funds From Moscow

Leading Chinese of Mainland City Declare Organized Effort Is Being Made to Convert Chinese of This Country to the Radical Nationalist Cause in War-Stricken China

Royal Canadian Mounted Police Have No Statement to Make on Investigation

VANCOUVER, May 28.—Aided by a $3,000,000 fund provided by headquarters at Moscow, Chinese Bolsheviki are making determined effort to convert to the "Red" cause, Chinese residents of Canada. This is declared by leading Chinese of this city who have been making a searching investigation. Of the large fund, $30,000 has been left with a few radicals in Vancouver, while smaller sums have been allotted to other cities. A large portion is retained as a central fund, according to the investigators' report sent to the various associations which they represent.

Though as yet few converts have been made to the Cantonese Red legions, long-established Chinese associations fear the falling away of adherents if the propaganda is not suppressed. At present they declare there are only half a hundred dyed-in-the-wool Chinese radicals in the city.

According to those investigating the alleged attempt at spreading dissatisfaction, funds were brought into Canada a month ago by a man high in the Soviet councils. That this man came to Canada and is known to Dominion authorities who have kept him under strict observation and have investigated all his activities.

It is believed, according to reports, that it was his intention to aid also in the formation of other Bolshevist units among European immigrants to this country. The movements of this man are known only to the Dominion officials, and a few of his trusted agents.

Officials of the R.C.M.P., on whom falls the work of investigating Red activities and the spreading of propaganda, have no statements to make at present regarding the progress they have made in their investigation.

U.S. ARMY FLYERS IN FATAL CRASH

Airplane Breaks Propeller Blade and Zig-Zags Like Skyrocket Before Eyes of Many Horrified Observers

PARACHUTES SAVE FOUR; ONE KILLED

REYNOLDSBURG, Ohio, May 28.—One United States Army aviator was killed and four others escaped with serious injuries when they leaped in parachutes from a Government bombing plane that broke a propeller blade at a high altitude here today.

The ship, of the new LD-5 type, was returning to Langley Field, Norfolk, Va., from war games at Kelly Field, Texas. It took off from Columbus, Ohio, where it had landed at 11 a.m., and crashed at 12:15.

As it lost direct headway with its blade shattered, it burst into flames and zig-zagged over the town like a great Fourth of July rocket. Horrified observers saw four black specks dive from the ship and suddenly jerk to full stops as their parachutes opened. Their plane crashed before they reached the ground, carrying Private Daniel Leroy Yeager, mechanic of the detail, to death.

Fire on Ship Menaces Duke And Duchess

LONDON, May 28.—Fire broke out Thursday in one of the boiler-rooms of the battle cruiser Renown, on board which the Duke and Duchess of York are returning from their visit to Australia, the Admiralty announced today. Four members of the engine-room crew were injured, but the blaze was extinguished without serious damage.

The fire started from an unknown cause in a part of the fuel oil supplies. The ship was stopped until it was extinguished.

It is stated that the schedule of the voyage will not be affected.

Shakespeare Love Letter Sells for $5

TORONTO, May 28. — A letter written by William Shakespeare to Ann Hathaway, whom he later married, was auctioned off here last night and sold for only $5. The letter was part of a collection of Shakespearan relics sold.

An oil painting, reputed to be by George Romney, 1775, was sold for $350 to a private owner, who immediately resold it for $525.

A Bible, formerly owned by Shakespeare, bought from William Walker, brought $35. It was printed in London in 1603 by Christopher Barker.

Charles Dickens' personal seal was sold for $25; "Donn Briandson's" "Bleak House," "Little Dorrit," and "Our Mutual Friend," in paper covered parts, brought $45, $44, $50 and $49, respectively.

A water color, entitled "Miss Rogers," of a young girl with yellow curls, believed to be painted by Sir Joshua Reynolds at the age of fourteen, went for $10.

Two pencil drawings by John Constable failed to draw a bid.

De Pinedo Makes Slow Progress Toward Azores

HORTA, Azores, May 28.—Francesco de Pinedo, Italian aviator, who left Trepassey, Nfld., last Monday to fly to the Azores, wirelessed today from the Italian steamer Superga that his plane was in tow of that ship sixty-six miles off Fayaln. The weather was bad, de Pinedo's wireless said, and it was not possible to estimate when he would reach the island. The Superga was proceeding slowly to avoid damage to the seaplane

FUNDAMENTALIST RADICALS LOSE

Ultra Faction in Presbyterian Church of the United States Are Preparing to Carry Controversy Into Courts

GENERAL ASSEMBLY SCENE OF CONTEST

SAN FRANCISCO, May 28.—The Presbyterian ultra - Fundamentalist faction, decisively defeated on the floor of the 139th General Assembly of the church here, was preparing tonight to carry the controversy into the civil courts of New Jersey, according to persistent rumors among the delegate commissioners.

By a decisive assembly vote, a recommendation of the committee appointed to investigate Princeton Seminary, which will eventually oust the five Fundamentalist directors of the institution, was adopted today, but this board of directors is the official and legal board of the Seminary, which is incorporated under the laws of New Jersey, and the Fundamentalists now maintain that the assembly has no legal right to do away with it.

Although the controversy is called entirely administrative by the church leaders, it is said to revert directly back to the day, four years ago, when Harry Emerson Fosdick, a Baptist from a Presbyterian pulpit, stated a doubt as to the immaculate conception.

Ranchers Pack Belongings to Flee Bush Fire

WETMORE, Colo., May 28.—Fanned by a stiff wind from the West, the San Isabel forest fire today spread out of control of more than 500 convicts, ranchers, national guardsmen and business men who have been fighting it for two days.

When word reached here that efforts of the fire-fighters to subdue the blaze had proved futile, residents began packing belongings in preparation for a hasty retreat from their homes. Wetmore is in direct path of the flames.

One volunteer, Geo. Sweeten, eighteen, was missing this afternoon. Relatives said they had received no word from him since late yesterday.

While several men sustained slight burns, none have been seriously injured in fighting the blaze. All were treated at an emergency hospital set up in the fire area.

Cranking Car Fatal

SEATTLE, May 28.—While cranking his truck this afternoon, Charles H. Heacock, transfer driver, was probably fatally crushed when the car started forward, pinning him against another truck standing ahead of his own. Hospital attendants despair of his recovery.

from the Colonist Tower

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THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds; partly cloudy, and warm.

Sun Rises: 4:19 o'clock.
Sun Sets: 8:02 o'clock.

High Tide: 12:36 a.m., 9.0 feet.
Low Tide: 8:14 a.m., 1.6 feet.

Deep-Sea Shipping

Arrival—
Empress of Asia, from Orient, 7 a.m. today.

Sport

Boxing—
Morgan gets decision over Vic Foley in world's title bout at Vancouver.
Tennis—
Seattle net stars to meet pick of Victoria Lawn Tennis Club this afternoon in exhibition fixtures.
Golf—
A. V. Price and Clarence Brynjolfson will meet for Uplands Golf Club title.
Mrs. Wilding wins Uplands ladies' golf championship.
Baseball—
Babe Ruth poles out twelfth homer of season.
Football—
Ladysmith defeats Saanich Thistles 4-2 in Connaught Cup fixture.

The News

Local and Provincial—
Mr. E. W. Beatty, president of Canadian Pacific Railway, arrives in city today.
New auto driving rules issued by authorities.
H.M.S. Colombo due here July 25.
New Fraser River bridge plans filed.
Firemen have many calls, following outbreak on beach.
Dominion, Imperial and Foreign—
Chinese "Reds" are reported to be seeking recruits in Canada.
Prospects of early election are discussed in Great Britain.
Extreme fundamentalists of Presbyterian Church in U.S. may go to court.
Soviet press interprets Canada's action in annulling trade agreement.
Parachutes save four U.S. army airmen but one is killed.
Great powers are mobilizing troops in China to meet Russian threat.

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KIEV, Russia, May 28.—Five Russians were executed here today following conviction on charges of being members of the Intelligence Service of the Polish general staff, and of the "Free Russia" counter-revolutionary organization.

Liquor-Laden Manitoba Car Is Hijacked

WINNIPEG, May 28.—A large automobile, loaded with liquor, was relieved of its cargo by a band of half a dozen alleged hijackers when it came to grief in the mud on a trail leading out of Morden, Man.

The police have arrested five men on suspicion of being concerned in the disappearance of the liquor, half of which has been recovered. Irving Allam, driver of the car, has also been arrested, but released on $100 bail. The quintette charged with hijacking were allowed their liberty on $1,000 bail each and will appear in police court next Wednesday.

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BRITISH TALK OF EARLY ELECTION

Conservative Spokesmen Feel They Have Confidence of Country and Could Safely Appeal to Electorate

LLOYD GEORGE GIVES VIEWS ON SITUATION

LONDON, May 28.—Talk of an early general election in Great Britain is increasing in all quarters, particularly in the lobbies of the House of Commons. Even Lloyd George mentioned the subject in his speech on Friday night, saying he did not know when it would be come, because, "I doubt whether the Prime Minister himself knows, he never knows many minutes in advance what he will do."

Lloyd George stated, however, that the Trade Unions Bill and the Government's decision regarding the Soviet, might mean early dissolution. "But I think you had better wait until the result of the Bosworth by-election comes in," he added.

"While Liberals are ready for an election, the preparations of the Laborites are said to be even more complete, and it is the latter who are pressing for an appeal to the electorate.

In Conservative circles it is being emphasized that there is no reason for a general election. The Government, it is pointed out by Tory spokesmen, certainly enjoys the overwhelming confidence of the country, and could safely appeal to the electorate on either the Trade Unions Bill or the termination of relations with the Reds, on both of which issues it would be returned to power.

In any event, there is no possibility of an election until late in the year, if at all, but the current rumors are more significant, in that they indicate the political unrest now disturbing the country.

SOVIET PRESS THINKS CANADA DISAPPOINTED

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Russian ship Youshar until Tuesday. This ship will carry thirty-five Russian officials and the bulk of their baggage. Customs officers are inspecting carefully every case taken aboard.

ARCOS HEAD SPEAKS

In a communication to the press, M. Khinchuk, head of Arcos, Ltd., said that the commercial agreements and contracts by the Soviet trading organizations and Arcos are terminated, and that these concerns are compelled to wind up their work since the policy of the British Government left them without the possibility of pursuing trading operations on the basis of the general economic plan of the Soviet Union.

The statement added that the work of such organizations as the Russo-British Grain Export Company and similar undertakings will continue if no obstacles are placed in their way. M. Khinchuk expressed regret at being compelled to discharge his large staff at such short notice.

The statement also promised that all contracts with British firms will be fulfilled to the letter in accordance with the terms of the contract, and that all money obligations of the Russian trading organizations would be fulfilled similarly as they fell due. For this trading purpose a sufficient staff will be left in London.

M. Khinchuk further expressed his firm belief that the British firms contract and agreement will indicate their willingness and give a guarantee of fulfilling their contractual obligations.

In this respect, he concluded, we assume the British Government will not put any obstacles in the way of fulfillment of the contracts and the financial obligations by the Soviet organizations of British firms.

The Foreign Office today resumed its conference with the Home Office and Scotland Yard regarding the few Russians who will be permitted to remain in England to carry on the legitimate commercial business of Arcos.

One visitor at Chesham House today was Ben Tillett, secretary of the Dock Workers. Tillett paid a farewell call on the Soviet officials who, he said, were "dismayed at the fact that so old and powerful a country as Britain, with its traditions of democracy, has acted as it has."

The Laborites are stoutly defending their actions in giving a luncheon to M. Rosengolz in the House of Parliament yesterday. "It was a perfectly legitimate expression of good will by those of us who know the facts and are not deceived by the Tory party's dangerous propagandists," Mr. Tillett declared as he left Chesham House.

BERLIN MAY ACT

BERLIN, May 28.—With diplomatic relations between England and Soviet Russia definitely broken, there is a prevailing conviction here that the situation may soon find the German Government functioning as voluntary mediator between London and Moscow if only for the purpose of stabilizing a situation which otherwise might grow serious.

OSLO, May 28.—The Aften-Posten says it understands Great Britain has asked Norway to represent their interests in Russia in view of the severance of Anglo-Russian relations but that matters are not definitely settled yet.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—The break in relations between Great Britain and Russia is not expected by President Coolidge to have any effect on trade relations between the United States and Russia.

MOSCOW "MOBILIZES"

MOSCOW, May 28.—"A rifle in the hands of every Red soldier—A state bond in the hands of every worker," is the new watchword for the defence of the Soviet Union in the face of the break yesterday with Great Britain.

Mobilization of the Union's interior resources now has become its most important defence, says Nicholas Brukhanoff, Commissar of Finance.

He published today a financial survey of the country's resources, now that it is considered bereft of the support formerly available from British ranks.

M. Brukhanoff declares that every conscientious citizen must realize that his interest is tied up with that of the Union and come forward with individual aid for the country's finances. He appeals particularly for the people to turn their hidden savings into the country's coffers. These hoardings, which profit nothing now, he declares, can be collected and handed over to the state banks to prove a national financial bulwark, assuring continuance of the country's economic progress.

"The Union cannot permit that even part of its means should lie unused," says Brukhanoff. "They must all be mobilized and thrown into use in the Union's defence."

William Peters, British charge d'affaires, has asked the Russian authorities to facilitate the departure of himself and his staff. He is prepared to leave as soon as formalities are completed.

POWERS MEET RUSS MENACE IN MANCHURIA

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JAPANESE ACT

TOKIO, May 28.—Orders were issued today for two thousand Japanese troops to proceed from Manchuria to Tsingtao, China, for the purpose of protecting Japanese lives and property in the Shantung Railway zone. The troops, for the most part, will be concentrated at Tsinanfu, capital of Shantung Province.

Fear of a repetition of the Nanking and Hankow incidents is given as the principal reason for the dispatch of troops.

"The troops will be withdrawn immediately, fear of danger to our residents ceases to exist," an official Government statement says.

LONDON, May 28.—The British Foreign Office credits reports received in London that Michael Borodin, adviser to the Hankow Nationalist regime, and seven other Russians, have hurriedly left Hankow.

Official reports from China indicate that a general campaign against the Communists is being conducted by the Chinese authorities. Extremist elements are said to have been ordered to leave Nanchang.

When the Nationalist troops entered Changsha this week, it is declared, they rounded up trade union extremists, executed them and then disbanded the unions. They also raided the missionary headquarters, explaining later that they thought it was a trade union office.

UNION RAIDED

HONG KONG, May 28.—A raid on the headquarters of the Hong Kong branch of the Canton Seamen's Union was carried out by the police today in an effort, the authorities announced, to halt persistent seditious Communistic activities.

The raid was a sequel to the Government order to close the union, the order being supported by Chinese business men as well as the rank and file of the members of the union, whose leaders fled to Hankow with the union's seals and funds.

HANKOW, China, May 28.—Nationalists (Southerners) are believed here to have suffered a crushing defeat north of the Tasha River, in Honan Province, at the hands of Marshal Chang Tso-Lin's Northern forces. Fragmentary reports show that the Nationalists were seriously disorganized by Chang's Northern cavalry.

An important political situation is developing in Hankow in view of persistent rumors of a reconciliation between the Hankow Government and General Chang Lai-shek, the Moderate Nationalist leader, on condition that Michael Borodin and other Russian advisers be jettisoned.

All posters hostile to Chang Kai-shek have been taken down and propaganda against him has ceased. The Hankow regime is increasing its legislation against Communism.

MIGRATION MOVEMENT APPROACHES OBJECTIVE

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the Coast have been evolved." I am one of those who believe that a Coast outlet is the logical solution of the present difficulties.

"It is the method most likely to advance the development of the Peace River District and the work should, if possible, be so designed as to provide transportation for such fertile territory as exists in Northern and Central British Columbia. So many millions of dollars have been lost in Canada through premature railway construction that I do not believe that extensions in the immediate future would be desirable. The cost of such a line with the necessary branch line extensions would be very heavy, and they should not be provided too far ahead of the time at which they could be self supporting. The situation, of course, is constantly before us, and the most complete data is being prepared by the company's engineers."

DENIES POLITICS INFLUENCE HIM

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With the carrying out of this surfacing with heavy oil over a term of years it was anticipated that there would be a solid surface formed that would last for a considerable time and not give way under the traffic, requiring only slight expense in repairs.

There had been some criticism as to the cost of roadwork under his Department, but Dr. Sutherland said that there was no foundation for this charge. He had gone to the trouble of comparing the cost of similar work on the Esquimalt roads in 1916 and in 1926, and found that there had been a saving by the Government in the latter year. Graveling and hauling the material for the same distance on the road from the same pit had shown that while the cost was $2.60 in 1916 it was only 95 cents a yard in 1926. In grading there had been a similar saving in the cost. The Minister said that they were keeping up their roads in the Esquimalt district at less cost now than in 1916.

The work being carried on, Dr. Sutherland said, would be economical in the long run, not only to the Government but to the owners of motors as well. Quoting figures on the cost of operating cars, he pointed out that if by the improving of the roads there was a saving of $10 a month per car on the average over the 80,000 cars in the province, a very material gain would be made by the people of the country.

The cost of the roads was all paid for by the motor licences and the tax on gas. The gas tax was put on for this purpose, but it was economy to do this.

DENIES EXCESSIVE PROFITS

Dr. Sutherland combated the criticism that had been offered at the last session of the Legislature that there had been any excessive profits made by the contractors on the roadwork of the province. Only in the last few days a representative engineer from Oregon had been here, studying how the province was able to do the work as cheaply as it was done.

During the counting of the ballots at the meeting Mr. C. H. O'Halloran, the president of the Federal Riding Association, was called upon to speak. He dealt with the progress of the work of organization going on in the district, and for a short time spoke on Federal politics.

In this connection he reviewed the reductions made in taxation by the Government during the last session and also included the financial record of that Government.

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Prairies Have Unusual Record Of Precipitation

The abnormal weather on the prairies, which has delayed planting in many sections, has been under observation at the Meteorological Observatory here and some interesting statistics based on the situation are available.

The weather has been unusually cold, and the examination of the statistics shows that at Edmonton on May 2 and 3 eight inches of snow fell, nine inches of snow at Swift Current, seven and one-half inches at Qu'Appelle, while at Calgary there was five inches of snow on May 4 and 5, and four inches on May 8 and 9.

The precipitation has been quite extraordinary, Mr. Denison finds. The total precipitation across Northern Alberta and Saskatchewan has been about the average, and also in Southwestern Alberta, but easterly through Saskatchewan and Manitoba it has been abnormally heavy; in fact, at Swift Current it is 3.68 above the average, a record for the forty years during which weather records have been maintained. At Qu'Appelle it has been one inch above average up to May 28, while in Winnipeg it has showed two inches above average, a record during the fifty-five years that such records have been kept.

Longer Hours For Vancouver Liquor Stores

VANCOUVER, May 28.—To curb the operation of bootleggers, Hugh Davidson, head of the Liquor Control Board, is considering opening all city stores at 8 a.m. on week days and keeping them open for business until midnight, with the exception of Saturdays when the closing time would be 11 p.m.

At present two city stores are open until midnight, with the exception of Saturdays, and the amount of business done is an indication of the activity of bootleggers prior to opening of Government stores at night.

"Our aim is not to increase the sale of liquor," said the commissioner, "but to curb the activities of the bootlegger."

SLIP OF A GIRL BEST ORATOR IN SCHOOLS OF U.S.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—A slip of a girl from Utah, who hopes some day to be an actress, is the interscholastic oratorical champion of the United States.

She is Dorothy Carlson, seventeen-year-old senior at Salt Lake City's East Side High School, and in the finals here last night she triumphed over six boy orators, from widely-scattered sections.

The five associate justices of the Supreme Court, who acted as judges, gave her the highest rating. Second honors went to James M. Tunnell, Jr., of Georgetown, Del., and third to Jefferson Meacher, of Binghampton, N.Y.

By winning the championship Miss Carlson won the right to represent the United States in an international contest, to be held here October 14. England, France, Canada, Mexico, Argentina and Hawaii will be represented.

Grain Futures Soar

CHICAGO, May 28.—Every grain future delivery on the entire list soared here today to new high prices for the season. Corn outdid all other cereals, with a price advance of five cents, showing a gain of about twenty-five cents in the last few weeks.

FRANK TALK MADE BEFORE MINISTER

Division in Ranks Alleged by Failure to Remove Protested Official at Metchosin

What Hon. W. H. Sutherland, Minister of Public Works, described with diplomacy as an evidence of true Liberalism, occurred at the meeting of the Esquimalt Riding Liberal Association last evening when Mr. W. L. Whitney-Griffiths, of Metchosin, one of the delegates, following the election and the address of the minister stated that he did not believe that the best interests of Liberalism was being served by the course pursued that evening. He thereupon proceeded to speak plainly with respect to the administration of matters of a political character in the riding. The Sooke and the Esquimalt party would not work together, he said.

WANTED OFFICIAL REMOVED

"The Liberal Association is being ignored," added Mr. Griffiths. Recommendation was made for the removal of a man and yet nothing was done."

A road superintendent was kept on because it was represented that he was invaluable, the speaker explained.

"Who put the road superintendent there?" asked Mr. Griffiths. "The Liberal party," he replied, answering his own question.

He said he felt that a little more frank talk would be of advantage to the party. He then continued to refer to some of the objections raised with respect to the work. When men complained of certain roads they were not repaired because of this complaint being raised.

What was needed in Esquimalt today was straightforwardness, he argued. He hoped to see a Liberal elected and it could be done if they had a good honest Liberal as candidate.

Hon. Dr. Sutherland in reply to the statements that were made said that this was true Liberalism when every man spoke his mind. He assured Mr. Griffiths and the rest of the delegates that there would be no ill-will felt because of this straightforward speaking.

"I appreciate plain talking," said the Minister. "This is the place to have this out."

MUST EXERCISE DISCRETION

The Minister then went on to say that the superintendent was a most economical worker, and one whose estimates could always be relied upon. He went on to say that in the applying of tarvia it required a special man and this had been done. The best results were aimed at for the money spent. He hoped to see all the annoying little matters fixed up. When the request was made for the removal of an official he could not meet their wishes. The Minister said that he appreciated their recommendations and would try to act on them as far as possible. He wanted harmony, but they would have to leave something to the discretion of the Minister.

Another member of the executive said that there was "some goat in the party that let out all that took place in the executive."

The newly elected president, Mr. E. Milne, promised that he would have any grievance looked into at once.

First Allotment of Strawberries Received

SEATTLE, May 28.—Jones, Grossman & Co., agents for the Ollala Berry Growers' Association, announced this morning that they had received the first allotment of Puget Sound strawberries to come to the local market. Two twenty-four-pint crates came from Ollala and went into the retail trade at $5.50 a crate.

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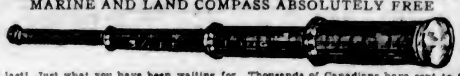

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Quebec Conservative Leader Retains Post

MONTREAL, May 27.—In a statement here today Arthur Sauve, leader of the Quebec Provincial Conservative opposition, declared that he would not resign from the leadership of the party at present and that he would at least retain that position until a proposed Provincial Conservative convention was held.

EVERETT PARTY FETED IN CITY

AMERICAN ROTARIANS AND ROTARIENNES ARE GUESTS OF LOCAL CLUBMEN

Golf Tourney at Colwood Followed by Informal Banquet at Empress, and Dancing at Crystal Garden

A party of Everett Rotarians and Rotariennes invaded Victoria yesterday and were entertained by members of the local Rotary Club and their ladies. The visitors spent the afternoon in a golf tournament with local Rotarians on the links of the Colwood Golf and Country Club.

An informal banquet was held at 7:30 o'clock last night in the grillroom of the Empress Hotel. The American clubmen and their ladies accompanying them, were welcomed by Mr. James H. Fletcher, president of the Victoria Rotary Club, and several of the visitors conveyed greetings from the Everett Rotary organization.

A number of the Everett delegation adjourned with their hosts to the Crystal Garden, where dancing was enjoyed, while others were guests of Rotarian Lester Patrick at the Arena, where they enjoyed the splendid programme of the famous Australian band.

The visitors will be taken for drives about the city this morning and will leave for Everett this afternoon.

Arrangements for the entertainment of the Americans while in the city were convened by Rotarians James H. Fletcher and Wallace S. Terry

THREE DROWN

GLASGOW, Missouri, May 27.—Captain and Mrs. Edgar Priemonth and their year-old son were drowned today when the Government barge B. Keith capsized in the Missouri River at Euphrase Bend.

Island Highway Is in Good Condition

The Island Highway from Victoria to Courtenay is in excellent condition reports Mr. C. L. Harris, publisher of The Island Motorist and Georgian Circuit Magazine, who returned yesterday after a tour of the Island.

There are a few rutty and rough spots between Cobble Hill and Duncan, but as a whole the Island Highway as far as Courtenay is in the finest condition from a motorist point of view that it has been in for years. The report says: Courtenay to Comox, excellent; Duncan to Maple Bay, good; Duncan to Cowichan Lake, not good, needs careful driving; Nanaimo to Cameron Lake, very good, but from Cameron Lake to Alberni the road is abominable. The "hump" is in a wretched condition, and it is both dangerous and unpleasant to drive over.

ESTATES PROBATED IN SUPREME COURT

Judicial Decisions Affecting Final Testaments Are Placed on Record in Supreme Court of B.C.

Probates and administrations issued out of the Supreme Court of British Columbia during the past week include the following:

Charles Jay Beasley, of Sooke, who died at Sooke on May 4, 1927; estate, $3,571.53.

Rita Laura Carey, of Oak Bay, who died at Victoria on February 13, 1927; estate, $7,146.58.

James White, who died in Manitoba; British Columbia estate, $1,100.

Martin Taylor, who died in England; British Columbia estate, $7,850.22.

Decorator: I advised him to have his house done over during his wife's absence as a surprise.

His Partner: Good business, old man! We'll have it to do over again when she gets back.

GOOD CITIZENSHIP TO BE REWARDED

Keen Interest Displayed in Appreciation Medal—Public Requested to Submit Nominations Early

The recent announcement in these columns that an Appreciation Medal will be awarded to the citizen of Greater Victoria who is adjudged to uphold in the best ways the ideals of good citizenship has aroused keen interest in the city and adjoining municipalities, and many inquiries concerning the proposal have been received.

Any man or woman residing in Greater Victoria for a period of longer than five years, whether he or she be a baker, butcher, nurse, philanthropic citizen, educator, public servant or of any other occupation or calling who has contributed to the upbuilding of the community or the comfort of his or her fellow citizens, is eligible to be nominated for the honor of receiving this appreciation award. Any person is eligible to submit nominations.

The public is asked to send in nominations as soon as possible to the Chairman of the Appreciation Award, Room 10, McGregor Block, stating in writing the reasons why the name has been submitted and the nominee is deemed worthy of receiving the medal. All nominations must be in the hands of the chairman on or before June 24.

All nominations will be kept strictly confidential and will be referred to a selection committee, which will be appointed after the closing of the reception of nominations.

The awarding of the Appreciation Medal is being sponsored by the Victoria Post No. 1, Native Sons of British Columbia, in co-operation with Victoria Post No. 3, Native Daughters of British Columbia.

NEW OFFICERS ARE CHOSEN FOR B.C.

Knights of Pythias and Pythian Sisters Select for Ensuing Term

Delegates to the number of 150, representing the Grand Lodge of British Columbia of the Knights of Pythias and the Grand Temple of the Pythian Sisters were in Penticton last week for the purpose of holding the annual conventions of the Orders. Ladies of the Grand Temple arrived from the Coast and Vancouver Island by the early train Tuesday, while the Kootenay contingent came by the westbound K.V.R. train at 11 o'clock.

The main item of business for Thursday morning's session was the election of grand officers of the Knights of Pythias, which was an intensely vital factor for many of the delegates. The result was as follows:

Grand Chancellor, T. J. Wadman, Revelstoke; grand vice-chancellor, J. A. McKinnon, Trail; grand prelate, T. J. Fletcher, Powell River; grand keeper of records and seal, F. J. Harding, Vancouver; grand master of exchequer, C. L. Behnsen, Victoria; grand master at arms, L. Dashwood-Jones, Vancouver; grand inner guard, L. Cummings, Chase; grand outer guard, E. A. Hill, Cranbrook; supreme representatives, E. S. H. Winn, Vancouver; senior member, W. G. Hooper, Vancouver.

A number of cities have asked for the honor of next year's grand session, and it will rest, doubtless, in a choice between Nanaimo and Vancouver. The estimated budget for next year's expenses was placed at $5,604.

There was a large attendance of delegates at Thursday's session of the Pythian Sisters. The principal business transacted was the election of the Grand Temple officers. These were as follows:

Grand past chief, Mrs. E. McFall, Powell River; grand chief, Mrs. Cumberland, Merritt; grand senior, Mrs. Glover; grand junior, Mrs. Millar; grand manager, Mrs. Slaughter; grand Mistress R. and C., Mrs. Nellie Beach, Vancouver; Grand Mistress of F., Mrs. Townley, Vancouver; Grand Protector, Mrs. Falk, Revelstoke; Grand Outer Guard, Mrs. Reisterer, Penticton; Grand Press Correspondent, Mrs. Savage, Duncan; Supreme Representative, Mrs. Davidson; Supreme Alternate, Mrs. Trempath; Supreme Senior Alternate, Mrs. Aitkin; Supreme Junior Alternate, Mrs. Herman.

PICKERS WILL BE WANTED SHORTLY

Early Application Should Be Made for Employment on Plantations

About the middle of June should bring the ripening of the strawberry harvest this year.

As during the last nine years the harvesting of this crop has been done mainly by girls and women, so it will be this year provided sufficient are available. The crop promises to be a bountiful one and a heavy demand is likely to be made by the grower for pickers. The district in which the pickers are needed is a large one, comprising the well-known strawberry fields of Gordon Head and Keating. Many of the pickers will go back and forth daily on the stages that run into these districts, and many others will camp on the farms during the duration of the picking. For the campers the following provisions are made: The grower supplies tent, cottage or shack, cot bed, cook stove, wood and water. The pickers take with them their blankets, cooking and eating utensils, and their food supplies. There are stores in all districts, so the matter of fresh supplies is a simple one.

The Women's Branch of the Employment Service of Canada, corner Langley and Broughton Streets, will register the pickers as heretofore, and it is desirable that registrations should be made immediately.

Any growers who have not yet done so are requested to come into the office to fill out their applications for pickers at their earliest convenience, as those growers who make their demand early will receive the first attention.

Bedding Plants Move Rapidly at Public Market

Bedding plants at no variation in price were moving rapidly at the Public Market yesterday.

New potatoes at twenty-five cents a pound were noticed in small quantities.

Spinach, which appeared to be plentiful, was selling from five pounds for twenty-five cents to two pounds for fifteen cents.

Lettuce at five and ten cents each, were being well patronized.

Local grown asparagus of a fine variety, found plenty of ready buyers at twenty cents a pound or two pounds for thirty-five cents.

Rhubarb continued to flood the market and was selling at all kinds of prices.

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DRIVEN INTO THE OPEN

One outcome of Britain's break with the Soviet Government that can only be regarded with satisfaction is the fact that now it will be known who are the active enemies of the Empire who are striving from within to bring about its disruption. Doubtless the vast majority of the names of these individuals are now in the possession of the British Government. The names of those who reside in Canada, and who were registered at Arcos House, will be submitted to the Canadian Government and eventually given publicity. Some of these names have already appeared in the press, and there is hardly a question that ultimately all will be known through a series of White Papers which it is proposed to issue. Every single name should be known, no matter who is implicated. Even members of Parliament should not be spared; on the contrary, it is the names of such that should come to light first. The British Government appears to be in possession of information which will have repercussions in many villages, towns and cities throughout the Empire.

Bolshevist propaganda and espionage are carried on largely in the dark. The emissaries pursue their course through subterranean passages and in clandestine ways. The practices that are treasonable fear the light of day. It was because of the raid at the Soviet offices in Peking that publicity was given to the machinations of the Reds. That publicity has meant that the Communist movement in China is losing both its coherence and force. It will be the same in the British Empire now that its ways and subterfuges are being exposed, and, above all, because the persons of those who are working to bring about chaos will be known. They will become marked individuals in each locality. Their actions and lives will be under the fierce light of public suspicion. In what the future will bring forth they have only themselves to blame, for, if their ways are legal and constitutional, if they are designed for the betterment of mankind, their paths should have been pursued from the beginning openly and unashamed. The break with the Soviet, under the circumstances in which it has come about, cannot fail to inure to the good of the British Empire. That Empire is always able to cope determinately and permanently with an enemy who is seen and whose movements can be kept under continual supervision.

"FAME"

Heroes and heroines of the United States number such names as Charles Lindbergh, Helen Wills, Babe Ruth, "Red" Grange, Mary Pickford and Jack Dempsey. There is no mention of Thomas Edison on the list, and, for the matter of that, no American who figured in the Great War is included. There is a new conception abroad of the "stuff" that heroes and heroines are made of, for, with the exception of Captain Lindbergh, had he lived in that age, all the others in the foregoing roll call of hero-worship would have been excluded from any list in the days when knighthood was in flower.

At a meeting of the Royal Society of Canada, Dr. F. G. Banting, the discoverer of insulin, possibly speaking in lighter vein, suggests that the fellowship should enter the business of beauty contests or endurance feats; that some of the members should try channel swimming or transatlantic flying so as to make money for the purposes for which the Royal Society exists. He recommends even finding some great family, such as the Medici, who will take an interest in the arts and sciences so that greater progress than is possible now may be made.

In truth these latter days are showing a popular volte face in the appreciation of life's values. The Royal Society of Canada is hard pressed in the matter of ways and means, but a prize-fighter or a moving picture artist can earn as much in a night or a few weeks as would be sufficient for the yearly needs of research work that can prove of incalculable benefit to the human race. In the matter of pecuniary gain and expenditure there is a distortion of life's values. The heroes and heroines of today, those who earn the greatest rewards, are those, often enough, who appear only on the playgrounds. It is a "mad world," and all the time is more and more of a reminder of the poet's definition—

What's fame, a fancied life in other's breath,
A thing beyond us, e'en before our death.

JERUSALEM'S WAR MEMORIAL

On May 7 Lord Allenby unveiled the memorial in the War Cemetery at Jerusalem, a memorial which commemorates the fallen of the Egyptian Expeditionary Force in the Palestine Campaign. The cemetery is, because of its site, perhaps the most interesting in the world. It is almost within stone's throw of the Garden of Gethsemane and commands a view of the Holy City and a glimpse of the Jordan Valley and the Dead Sea. It is situated on the west slope of Mount Scopus. The cemetery covers five acres and contains the remains of 2,534 of those who fell; including men from the British Isles, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa and the West Indies. In the middle of the sacred grounds there is a cross of sacrifice. At the far end is the stylobate which is reached by a flight of steps and on top of which rests the Stone of Remembrance. Near the stylobate is the Memorial Chapel. Judging from the description of this "God's Acre" furnished by a correspondent of The London Times there is probably no cemetery on earth so picturesquely conceived. He writes:

The cemetery has been surrounded on three sides by a belt of pines, and flanking the chapel and hemicycle walls are cypresses. The surface of the ground has been partly planted with grass to prevent scouring by the heavy Winter rains. A space two feet wide has been left in front of all the headstones, which are flanked with flowers and shrubs, running the whole length of the plots into which the cemetery is divided. Each plot is surrounded by a rosemary hedge which borders the paths, and on the grass banks of the cemetery have been planted thousands of the wild flowers which are such an attractive feature in Palestine, but which, with the increase of farming, are growing so rare that, as time goes on, this cemetery will become the one sanctuary of the beautiful flora for which the Holy Land has always been renowned. On the plot to the southwest of the cemetery have been planted a mass of scrub oak. These, as well as the lighter pines behind the dark cypresses flanking the chapel, and the crimson ramblers adorning the pergolas on the sidewalls, are intended to break up the flatness of the picture. But the full artistic value of the horticultural design will not be seen until, in a few years' time, the trees have grown up and, together with the spreading shrubs and variegated flowers, give the requisite touch of color to what might at present appear to many but a dull mass of stone.

NERVES

A somewhat new aspect on the study of nerves, and particularly those who suffer from them—and the number is increasing—is put forward by the Rev. G. A. Studdert Kennedy writing in The Churchman. He tells of how "all sorts of things and all sorts of people get on our nerves," and how the nerves get strung up, or run down or all on edge; how they cause melancholy, irritability, anxiety and unreasonableness, and how many households are rendered unhappy because of their display. The general impression is that the cure for nerves is a change to some fresh place, but it is often enough found that the landlady gets on the nerves just as much as wives and husbands. "We are full of self pity," says the writer, "about this terrible affliction and are never tired of talking about it to our neighbors.

Mr. Kennedy's conception is that the truth lies in the fact that in nine cases out of ten there is nothing the matter with our nerves at all but it is the thoughts that are all wrong. In other words, the root of the trouble is in the mind and not the body and it is the thoughts and not the nerves that are sick. He points to the undoubted fact that the thoughts are working constantly upon the bodies even in sleep; that the mind is forever moulding the body and making for either sickness or health. There are thoughts, he says, that "are as poisonous as prussic acid though not so rapid in their action." He quotes hatred as an instance, and fear. In the case of the latter its tendency is to make a man run, and he does not, "and the bottled up force makes him quiver. He thinks it is nerves, whereas it is thoughts and feelings gone all wrong."

Mr. Kennedy's advice to those who think they suffer from nerves is to watch their thoughts. He urges people not to go away and hide behind their nerves but to have it out with themselves. He asks such to indulge in introspection. "What," he says, "are you reading, looking at, thinking about? The world is full of beautiful things: Are you looking at them? It is full of fine books: Are you reading them? It teems with fascinating and interesting things: Are you thinking about them?" In concluding his article he says, "Nerves are the very devil, but God is all about you and you can destroy them if you will."

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., May 28, 1927.

TEMPERATURES

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	48	60
Vancouver	42	64
Kamloops	40	66
Barkerville	38	50
Prince Rupert	52	54
Estevan	42	56
Atlin	38	50
Dawson, Y.T.	24	62
Portland, Ore.	46	58
San Francisco, Cal.	50	62
Seattle	44	58
Spokane	44	58
Penticton	44	66
Vernon	40	68
Grand Forks	35	66
Nelson	32	63
Cranbrook	36	62
Calgary	40	48
Edmonton	42	56
Swift Current	48	52
Prince Albert	46	52
Qu'Appelle	44	58
Winnipeg	50	66

FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds, partly cloudy, and warm.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds, partly cloudy and warm.

SATURDAY

Maximum	60
Minimum	46
Average	53
Minimum on the grass	42

Bright sunshine, 9 hours, 18 minutes.
Rain, trace.
General state of the weather, clear.

5 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 30.12; wind, S.W., 16 miles; clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.08; wind, S.W., 4 miles; fair.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.90; wind, W., 6 miles; clear.

Barkerville—Barometer, 30.04; calm; fair.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.14; calm; fair.

Estevan—Barometer, 30.18; wind, N.W., 12 miles; fair.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.16; wind, W., 12 miles; clear.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.20; wind, E., 4 miles; cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.12; wind, W., 12 miles; clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.10; wind, W., 18 miles; clear.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

You would hardly believe us if we told you the number of persons who have asked to "say something about the weather;" but we think the least said about the weather the better. Not that the weather has been extremely bad in this part of the world; but certainly it has not been the kind of weather we have been accustomed to, and which we confidently look for at this season of the year.

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A popular belief prevails in the minds of those who are sceptical about almost everything that is printed in the newspapers that if any writer for the newspapers says something about the weather there is an immediate change in the state of the weather. That if the weather is good and a newspaper begins to brag about its goodness, the weather immediately changes and becomes notable for its badness. That, we believe, is why we have been asked to say something about the weather. Any change could not be for the worse, and it might be for the better. Therefore we ask the sceptics to make a note of what we are saying today, and mark the change for the better that is about to take place in the state of the weather. On the other hand, if the change that takes place is for the worse, please don't write a letter to the editor saying :"We told you so!" We solemnly absolve ourselves from all responsibility.

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If we were possessed of any astronomical knowledge we would have no hesitation in ascribing the somewhat untoward state of the weather to sunspots. For we have observed that whenever any untoward state of the atmospheric conditions prevails the phenomena are always attributed to spots on the sun. If that scientific theory is sound, the great orb from which we derive light, heat and power must have been in a very spotty condition for several months; for the people of most parts of the earth have been afflicted with many costly visitations.

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Earthquakes, floods, storms and disturbances of many kinds have shaken the earth or blown over it and flowed over it, destroying life and property. The great and rich state of Louisiana will hardly know itself after the Mississippi River has ceased to roll over it. The United States Government says it will recompense all the people of Louisiana for the losses they have sustained, build new towns to replace the old towns which were carried away on the bosom of the rushing waters and find new plantations for the cotton and sugar planters whose properties are now merely sediment in the Gulf of Mexico.

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Therefore, considering the situation in general, what reason have we in this part of the earth, just because there are spots on the sun and the Summer has not arrived at the appointed time, to complain about the state of the weather? Nothing has happened here that will cost the Government hundreds of millions of dollars. We are not concerned about the seedtime nor need we be worried about the harvest. The season may be a trifle late, but it will overtake itself and arrive according to schedule. It is the farmer of the Prairies who has something to be concerned about, and we should be concerned about that too, for an abundant harvest on the great plains of the West is an assurance of prosperity in every part of Canada.

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Considering the long-drawn out Spring and the absence of any indication of the immediate arrival of Summer, we wonder that the prophets have not mounted the walls and announced to the world that this year would be a year without a Summer. If the people who claim to have supernatural knowledge of what the future has in store for us had declared early in the season that there would be no Summer this year, there might have been temporary reason for their declaration. And such a prophecy might have been received by many credulous and morbid people with acceptation.

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We are anxious to hasten the arrival of Summer, and wish the prophets would emerge from their retreat and help us. For we are convinced that what we have said, supported by what we hope the prophets will say if they can be persuaded to say anything, will be carried by radio telegraph to the sun, which will immediately proceed to consume its "damned spots," and give us the kind of weather we have a right to expect at this season of the year.

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There are said to be more public golf courses in Chicago than in any other city in the world—eight of them, we are told. That is one for every day in the week, with one over—two over for those who have conscientious scruples against playing golf on the Sabbath. From what we have read about the Mayor of Chicago, we assume that that eminent municipal politician does not play golf. Mr. Thompson should play golf. He should play at least one round of golf over his eight courses every day. For if he did that, under the guidance of competent instructors in the ethics and rules of the game—and there are plenty of coaches of that kind in the United States—he would learn something that might make him a better Mayor and a more tolerant man.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

CAPE SCOTT

Sir,—A little group in this new settlement are glad Mr. G. H. Peers noticed the hyper-criticism of his article on "Cape Scott." I wonder what good his critic thought he would do by calling into doubt the plain and realistic description of a region to which all eyes and ears are turned just now? I was early taught that:

"He can do but a little
Who cannot find fault."

Our group of settlers here detected the usefulness of the details given of the early and present state and the immediate possibilities of the North-west district of our Island, if only there were roads for the countless cars and motor trucks that would stream out from the nearest big or small towns. Why couldn't Mr. Peers' critic add something to encourage the people who come from the regions of six-month Winters and urge them to go and camp out for a week or two in some valley near Cape Scott?

I am to see some photographs of Cape Scott that were taken by our Nova Scotian, "Shipman," as Chauser would have called a neighbor of ours who has his launch and delights in "roving the ocean o'er" and telling the truth about his rovings.

He says Mr. G. H. Peers tells nothing but the truth. Cougars! Yes, because there is no one to kill them as there were at the barracks of Nanaimo and in Blanshard Street, Victoria, Sailai! Yes, all ready for the flocks of goats to clear off. My sailor from Nova Scotia says it is a fine country. Then one of my most useful neighbors, who listened to the reading of Mr. Peers' article, wants to be off, for he has heard of the pilchard fisheries and he wants a boat and to leave our "good enough" district with its small holdings, where we can and do grow all and more we want to consume ourselves, and have asparagus that is so good and so succulent to the end of the sticks that we find four sticks to the pound that don't find a sale because they look like some descriptions in real estate offices—"too good to be true." So we eat the big ones ourselves. I am sure from all I hear from some of the fish plants that Mr. Peers has not overdrawn the advantages.

I might have objections to the wind at Cape Scott. I suppose the wind blows at Sooke, but you can build your house in a sheltered spot. I hope Mr. Peers will tell me whether, if I was even middle-aged, I could begin to plant five or six village settlements and do exactly as the squire or head man did in "Thorpie Soken," or Easthorpe, or High Wycombe, with their well, their pastures, their river or their fisheries in the Norman days. Then I wonder whether there wouldn't be a little community church in each village manned by the United Church of Canada, or by two or three who would know the Creed, the Lord's Prayer and the Ten Commandments—and so find escape from the routine of city life and the futility of working for wages with no prospect for old age or for the children.

Mr. Peers has done us good. If he some day sweeps by on our newly-oiled road I hope he will come and see how much can be done by faith and sticking to it, with one good man to build, lay out a field, garden and "cortelage"—an ancient name for immediate surroundings—and he will understand why we are so pleased with his article on Cape Scott. It seems like a pat on the back from far-off days. I hope Mr. Peers will tell us more of the district he knows so well. He can leave out tales of plucky cattle drivers, because the cows, pigs and coats can go by truck, I suppose, all the way on a passable road?

I hope Mr. Peers, hyper-critic, is not passing his time in "dropping buckets into empty wells," "and growing old in drawing nothing up."

I hope you will be lenient to my garrulity, but we want to thank Mr. G. H. Peers very much.

(CAPT.) ANDREW HAMILTON.
Milne's Landing, B.C., May 26, 1927.

THE MUSICIANS' UNION

Sir—As one having had some experience in the trades union movement and believing, as I do, that the world owes more to that movement, with all its errors, I am sorry to say that this great and noble institution continues to suffer from men who are in it to get all they can out of it instead of to give justice and fair dealing between the two classes, Capital and Labor.

Under present conditions both are necessary, and if it were not for greed for power and wealth among both Capital and Labor you would seldom hear of strikes and lockouts, and it is with this side of the question I intend to deal.

I claim that the Musicians' Union is not a trade union organization as it stands today. I took this stand years ago at the time I held the position of secretary-treasurer of the Trades and Labor Council. I was one who supported the eight-hour movement, believing that the eight-hour day was in the interest of the employer and employee, and this is one of the strongest planks of the Labor movement. I believed, and still believe, that any trades unionist who works more than that time, if one of his fellow men are unemployed, is not a trades unionist.

Many people do not understand why this movement claims increased wages, such as double, or time and a half, for working after the eight hours. This is not so that the man should benefit, but it is intended to force the employer to give other men out of employment work and a fair deal all round, and any man who takes advantage of this increased wage is a "scab" within his own movement.

I see there is a move on foot for a five-day week, as it is claimed that the worker wants more recreation and that more men would be employed.

With this short explanation I will deal with the Musicians' Union. Every seperate union member is given a card, and the principle laid down in the genuine unions is that no man can carry two cards. If he does, then he is taking advantage of his fellow-man. This might be forgiven if through lack of opportunity the man could not get work at his own trade, and he adhered to the principle of eight hours, but this is not so in the Musicians' Union of today. A number of these, termed "professional musicians" by Mr. Peele, the president, carries two cards. (Mr. Peele carries one in the Electricians and one in the Musicians.)

But if it is true that the principle of eight hours stands good, and that recreation is necessary, also that a man can only do justice to his employer by working eight hours, then I claim it is against all the principles of the Trades Union movement that a man should work eight hours for his employer and then start again the same day and put in another eight hours, often playing to the early hours of the following morning and going again the following day expecting to give justice to his employer by working the eight hours. In fairness I ask can this man give justice?

There are many clever musicians in this city today who are forced to lose many opportunities through other men who hold good positions, picking up good salaries, who, under the wing of a so-called union, get advantages while these men, whose whole livelihood depends upon their trade, viz., a musician, lose their opportunity.

Although I do not hold any brief for Rev. Clem Davies, I think the stand taken by him is the correct one, and he will be supported in this stand by the trades unionists of this city.

JOHN DAY.
880 Madison Street, Victoria, B.C., May 27, 1927.

Orange Notes

The finance committee in charge of the July 12 celebration report that much interest has been aroused in the various lodges of the L.O.B.A. and the L.O.L., and among the individual members of the order, which assures the success of the celebration.

Attractive programmes are being prepared, and are nearing completion.

Speeches will be delivered by prominent members of the order.

A unique and excellent programme of sports is being prepared for the members and young people of the association.

Last advices from the Mainland assure a large excursion on a specially chartered steamer.

L.O.L. Sir Henry Wilson did not hold its regular meeting, as it fell upon the evening of May 24, the annual holiday.

Tentative arrangements are under way with the C.P.R. authorities which, when concluded, it is hoped will induce many visitors from up-Island points to visit the city on July 12.

Regimental Orders

5TH (B.C.) COAST BRIGADE, C.A.

Orders by Lieut.-Col. J. C. Harris (V.D.), commanding. Headquarters, Victoria, B.C., May 27, 1927.

Parades—2nd A. A. Sec. will parade on Monday, May 30, at 8 p.m.; 55th and 56th Heavy Batteries on Tuesday, May 31, at 8 p.m.; 12th Heavy and 58th Field Batteries on Friday, June 3 at 8 p.m., and Signaller, Friday, June 3, at 8 p.m. Dress—Drill order.

Appointments—The following extract from D.O. 114 is promulgated for the information of all concerned: 5th (B.C.) Coast Brigade-55th Heavy Battery, to be Provisional Lieutenants: Capt. H. H. Fort from the Res. Off., January 2, 1927, David Albert McNaughton, January 3, 1927. 56th Heavy Battery, to be Provisional Lieutenants, William Gilling Scott, January 4, 1927; Edmund Boothroyd Corby, January 5, 1927.

Promotions—The commanding officer has been pleased to approve the following promotions: 5072, Gnr. B. Sullivan, to be Bdr., 17-5-27; 5073, Gnr. W. J. Sullivan, to be Bdr., 17-5-27; 1027, Lce.-Sergt. G. H. Lofts, to be Sergt., 23-5-27; 1067, Bdr. H. N. A. Hatcher, to be Lce.-Sergt., 23-5-27; 1072, Lce.-Bdr. S. Dunnell, to be Lce.-Sergt., 23-5-27; 1083, Lce.-Bdr. C. O. Fensham, to be Lce.-Sergt., 23-5-27; 1057, Lce.-Bdr. D. N. Carey, to be Bdr., 23-5-27; 1081, Lce.-Bdr. W. B. White, to be Bdr., 23-5-27; 1084, Gnr. G. Osborne, to be Lce.-Bdr., 23-5-27; 1086, Gnr. P. Wilkinson, to be Lce.-Bdr., 23-5-27.

Note—The Commanding Officer will meet the Battery Commanders of the 55th and 56th Heavy Batteries after parade on Tuesday, May 31.

P. T. STERN, Major,
Adjt. 5th (B.C.) Coast Bde., C.A.

To Speak Tonight

Mr. C. Endicott, of Vancouver, will be the speaker at the Progressive Spiritual Mission, 1414 Douglas Street, this evening at 7:30 o'clock. Mr. Endicott will conduct a healing demonstration at the close of the evening service. Special music will be provided.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist, May 29, 1877)

The Wellington Mines—About sixty men are steadily at work at Wellington, and Mr. James has received applications from two hundred to go to work at old rates. The company are taking out two hundred tons daily, and will soon be prepared to furnish coal for export trade.

From Nanaimo—The steamer Cariboo-Fly came in at five o'clock p.m. yesterday with the mails and the following passengers: Mr. J. H. Todd, W. J. Wilson, E. Geiger, Mr. Burnes, Mr. Rithet, Bishop Cridge, Bishop Seghers, Mrs. Bannerman, Mrs. McGill, R. Beaven, D. Spencer.

Good Time—The bark Marmion, with merchandise for Victoria consignees, arrived last evening from San Francisco in eleven days.

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The old, and at the time, well-known firms catering to the needs of the ladies for wearing apparel, which were all situated on the east side of Government Street, between what was then Trounce Alley, and Fort Street? These were Wilson Bros., Shears & Page, Brown & White (Mr. Edward White being still in the city), William Denny, afterwards Denny & Spencer, and the beginning of the present department store of Spencer's.

When Victoria householders used to buy their drinking water by the bucketful? This water was obtained from a spring in the present Spring Ridge district and brought to the homes in large barrel-shaped carts and measured out in buckets. Rain water from the roofs was drained into large casks, and supplied water for washing purposes.

When the hacks of the city, which at one time took the place of street and motor cars, used to line up for hire in the middle of Government Street? This made the thoroughfare look as though a funeral procession was constantly taking place. There was always considerable rivalry among the drivers as to who should be first in line. History repeats itself, as the same rivalry now exists among our taxi and motorbus drivers.

The Mechanics' Literary Institute, when it occupied premises on the north side of Fort Street, half-way between Douglas and Blanshard Streets? This was the lending library of early days, for books of all kinds, including novels of the seventies and eighties.

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CLUBLAND WILL HAVE BUSY WEEK

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Four Talks Set for Kiwanis Meeting—Round Table to Hold Last Session Until Autumn

CLUB CALENDAR

TODAY—Kumtuks Club, outdoor luncheon at Mount Douglas Park; informal evening at home of Miss M. A. Wigley.
MONDAY—Gyro Club, Chamber of Commerce, luncheon, 12:10 p.m.
MONDAY—Ye Loyal Knights of Ye Round Table, Empress Hotel private dining-room, supper, 6 p.m.
TUESDAY—Canadian Club, Empress Hotel ballroom, luncheon, 12 noon.
TUESDAY—Kiwanis Club, Chamber of Commerce auditorium, luncheon, 12:10 p.m.
WEDNESDAY — Y's Men's Club, Y.M.C.A., luncheon, 1 p.m.
THURSDAY—Rotary Club, Empress Hotel ballroom, luncheon, 12:10 p.m.
FRIDAY—One Hundred Per Cent Club, Dominion Hotel, luncheon, 12:45 p.m.

Victoria's clubland will go through a very active period this week. Gyro Aubrey Kent will address the Gyro Club in the Chamber of Commerce at noon tomorrow on "Some Interesting History of Vancouver Island." The luncheon committee of the club has decided to have members as speakers at the meetings more frequently in future.

The Kumtuks Club will be host to representatives from the Business and Professional Women's Clubs of Vancouver, Seattle, Tacoma, Everett, Bellingham and Mount Vernon, at an outdoor luncheon today at Mount Douglas Park. The visitors will be further entertained this evening at the home of Miss M. A. Wigley, a past president of the Kumtuks Club of Victoria.

Tomorrow night's supper gathering of the Victoria Table of Ye Loyal Knights of Ye Round Table in the Empress Hotel private dining-room, at 6 o'clock, will be the last meeting of the organization until September.

AT CANADIAN CLUB

Major-General Sir Archibald Macdonell, C.B., C.M.G., K.C.B., D.S.O., LL.D., who commanded the First Canadian Division in the Great War, will speak on "The Miracle of Confederation" at the Canadian Club luncheon on Tuesday, at 12 noon, in the Empress Hotel ballroom. Mr. William T. Straith, vice-president of the club, will preside and introduce the speaker-guest.

At the weekly luncheon of the Kiwanis Club at noon on Tuesday, in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium, the following four five-minute talks will be given: Mr. Roland G. Christy, on "The Story of a Bond"; Mr. Jack McDowell, "The Mystery of a Plumber's Bill"; Mr. James McIntosh, "The Tale of a Shirt," and Mr. Atwell D. King, "Confessions of a Lawyer." Mr. L. U. Conyers will be the soloist and Mr. Dave Macfarlane will lead the community singing.

A classification talk on "Pulp and Paper," by Mr. Robert W. Mayhew, a former president of the Rotary Club, which was postponed for one week at the last club meeting, will be given at the Rotarians' luncheon in the Empress Hotel at noon on Thursday next. Reports will be given by the chairmen of the 1927 committees, with statements from these chairmen as to the work they propose to carry out during their term of office.

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Obituary

LANGDALE—There passed away in this city on Friday, Mrs. Maria Langdale, widow of the late Alfred Langdale. Mrs. Langdale had resided at the Aged Ladies' Home for some years. Funeral service will be conducted by Rev. A. deB. Owen at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel tomorrow afternoon at 3:30. Cremation will be made in Vancouver.

BLYTH—The funeral of Mrs. Elsie Blyth will take place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel tomorrow morning at 10:30. Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

BROWN—The funeral of Edward King Brown will be from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

WILLARD—The funeral of William Wesley Willard will take place from McCall Brothers' Funeral Home, corner of Johnson and Vancouver Streets, tomorrow afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. James Hood will conduct the service, after which interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

BERTUCCI—The funeral of the late Catherine Bertucci will take place tomorrow morning from McCall Brothers' Funeral Home and proceed to St. Andrew's Cathedral, where mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

HEWLETT—There passed away yesterday morning, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Louise Emma V. Hewlett, wife of David Hewlett, of Sasseenos. The remains are resting at McCall Brothers' Funeral Home. Announcement of funeral will be made later.

MYERS—There passed away on Friday, at the family residence, 1413 Pembroke Street, Mary Ann Myers, aged seventy-three years, beloved wife of Thomas Myers. The remains are resting at McCall Brothers' Funeral Home, the funeral taking place tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, from St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

MELHUISH—Maud Marion Melhuish, beloved wife of Alfred Wilfred Melhuish, of 1247 Johnson Street, died at the Jubilee Hospital yesterday afternoon, aged thirty-two. Mrs. Melhuish was born in Victoria, the daughter of the late John and Eliza Brady, pioneers of the city, and is mourned by her husband and two children; also a brother, William G. Brady, of Victoria, and two sisters, Mrs. Gordon Halkett, of Victoria, and Mrs. Paul Kramer, of Tacoma, Wash. The remains are resting at McCall Brothers' Funeral Home. Announcement of funeral will be made later.

WAR MINISTER DEAD

BERLIN, May 28.—German Von Stein, Prussian Minister of War from 1916 until October 1918, died yesterday, aged seventy-three.

"Mercy! Here it is the first of the month. Doesn't rent day come around swiftly?"

"That depends on whether one is the tenant or the landlord.

AUSTRALIAN BAND WELCOMED AGAIN

Two Delightful Programmes Given at Arena Yesterday Are First in Second World Tour

The Australian National Band, which several months ago introduced itself to Victoria with memorably fine performances at the Crystal Garden, gave two return performances yesterday at the Arena, which demonstrated anew the fine calibre of individual and ensemble musicianship which this organization possesses. If there is one characteristic which stands above the other in the fine playing which is invariably heard from this aggregation, it is the buoyant spirit and joie de vivre which seems to permeate their work. Their technique is remarkably fine, notable at all points for a finesse and refinement of phrasing, attack and delicate exactness of pitch. And either as an ensemble or as individual instruments they play with keen intelligence and appreciation of the subject-matter. It is this liveliness which gives their performance the piquant interest which has helped to make the organization so peculiarly popular, and there is no doubt that all people who are fond of band music—and there is a large public here which unquestionably does—will herald the Australian Band's return for an indefinite number of occasions if these are offered.

The afternoon programme yesterday opened with the march, "Washington Grays," and after that were played the overture to "Bohemian Girl," with its weaving of "I Dreamt That I Dwelt in Marble Halls" and other airs of the old opera. In the same category, and appealing to an audience of much the same musical loves, were the "Scenes From Maritana," including the familiar "Scenes That Are Brightest," "Let Me Like a Soldier Fall" (with trombone solo), "In Happy Moments," by the bass horn; "Alas Those Chimes," the cornet playing the melody. The whole rendering of this was charming.

One of the finest numbers on the afternoon programme was the trombone solo, "Lend Me Your Aid," played by Clarrie Collins, who commands a fine sonorous tone from his instrument, and introduced a beautiful legato, which added much to the dignity and nobility of this fine composition. Thomas Bollen's cornet solo, "Silver Showers," a florid piece with difficult intervals, was played with great smoothness of execution and fine coloring.

The audience was again privileged to hear, as an extra, "Nearer, My God, to Thee," in which the control of the band was so excellent and the shading and magnifying of tone so smoothly resonant that in many of the passages it was quite possible to imagine an organ instead of a band to be responsible for the music.

Several other numbers were played, the humorous part of the programme residing in two extras, fox trots, which brought out circus-like resources in both instruments and players. The syncopation was extraordinarily clever, and the dramatization of incident equally so, the numbers, "So Is Your Old Lady" and "Yes, Ma'am" being acted in more or less detail, and singing mingling with the playing.

The evening programme included the fine Rossini overture, "William Tell," with its descriptive episodes, "Dawn," "The Storm," "Pastorale," and "Finale." The conductor has fine control of the various groups of instruments, never better shown than in this; Weber's "Freischutz" was another of the admirably-played numbers.

The solos in the evening were a cornet solo by Arthur Stender, "Zelda," by the Australian composer, Percy Code, and the xylophone solo by Harold Reid. The latter is a wizard at his instrument, and one cannot hope to hear anything approaching his brilliant style of playing until good fortune brings him this way again.

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Mr. George L. Webber Had Resided Several Years on Island

Mr. George L. Webber, for fourteen years a resident of Vancouver Island, part of the period at Departure Bay and a portion of the time at Victoria, passed away Friday in Vancouver at the age of eighty-one years.

Born February 7, 1846, at Charlottetown, P.E.I., Mr. Webber spent the greater part of his life in that province, being identified with the furniture business in Summerside, P.E.I., until he moved to the Coast.

The members of the family living are Messrs. William J. Webber, Vancouver; Edward Webber, Loco, B.C., and Herbert Webber, Vancouver, all sons; Mrs. F. W. Smith, Canterbury Road, Saanich, and Mrs. J. E. Macdonald, Langford Lake, daughters. His wife died some years ago. Mr. Webber had a brother and sister resident in Boston, and also a brother in Tacoma.

It is expected the funeral will be on Monday, but final details were incomplete on Saturday evening.

Oil Well Torch Turned Into Blackened Crater

SANDFORD, Texas, May 28.—A blackened crater from which gas hisses at the rate of a million cubic feet a day was all that remained today of the "Panhandle Lamp," created at a cost of eight lives, when a huge well on Main Street here ignited Thursday.

The 200-foot flame that raged for more than forty hours to threaten the oil boom town was "snuffed out" last night with high explosives and a barrage of steam. The roaring torch was extinguished in almost as spectacular a display as marked the ignition of the well while the crew was attempting to remove the casing to test the oil.

FORMER RESIDENT DIES IN OAKLAND

Mr. Wilson Jones Succumbs to Injuries Sustained in Fall—Widow Well Known Here

As the result of injuries sustained when he fell from the roof of a Summer house on which he was making some repairs, Mr. Wilson Jones, a former well-known resident of the Cowichan district and subsequently of Victoria, died at Oakland, California, on Friday. The information was contained in a telegram sent yesterday by Mrs. Wilson Jones to a friend here.

Mr. Wilson Jones came to Vancouver Island from Trinidad, where he and his wife had lived for several years. His father, who was connected with the Associated Press, died quite recently in England.

Mrs. Wilson Jones, widow of the deceased, and who will be well remembered in local musical circles, is living in Oakland, where she is frequently heard on the concert platform.

Midatlantic Airplane Base Site Recommended

PERNAMBUCO, Brazil, May 28.—St. Paul's Rocks, in mid-Atlantic would make an excellent airplane landing base, says Captain Mario Codinho, of the Brazilian Army, who has just returned from a special government mission to study the possibility of establishing such a base.

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The New Management of the Belvedere, Sooke Harbor, Hotel announce their second dinner and supper dance, Saturday evening, June 4, at eight o'clock. Engage your tables early. Seat plan at Diggon's, Government Street.

Victoria Women's Conservative Association 500 and bridge party, Campbell Building, Monday, May 30, 8:15 p.m. Good prizes, dancing, refreshments. Tickets 50c, from members or convener, Mrs. Mowat, 5418X.

Natural History Society will meet on Monday, May 30, at the home of Mrs. Church, 46 Douglas Street, at 8 p.m. Visiting naturalists welcome. Bring notes and queries for discussion.

Rummage Sale Thursday, 1406 Government Street (opposite Westholme Hotel), 10 a.m. For information phone Mrs. Bonavia, 9088R. Benefit of Anti-Vivisection Society.

Silver Tea at Mrs. Mitchell's, 641 Superior Street, Monday, 3 p.m. Talk on "Social Hygiene" by Mrs. P. M. Campbell. All ladies interested invited.

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CANADIAN OBSERVER—Left San Francisco 5.30 p.m., bound Vancouver.

RADIANT—Portland for Oleum, 430 miles from Oleum.

WEATHER REPORT

PRINCE RUPERT—Cloudy, calm, 30.16; 51; sea smooth.

ALBERT BAY—Cloudy, calm, 30.15; 56; sea smooth.

ESTEVAN—Part cloudy, northwest, light; 30.24; 52; light chop.

PACHENA—Clear, northwest, light; 30.18; 55; sea smooth.

CARMANAH—Cloudy, west, light; 30.10; sea smooth.

CAPE BEALE—Part cloudy, west, 30.08; light chop.

City & District

Library Closed.—The Victoria Public Library will be closed all day on Sundays during June, July and August.

Roof Fire—The fire department was called out to a roof fire early this morning at 525 Craigflower Road. Damage was slight. Sparks from a neighboring chimney is believed to have been the cause, as the house was unoccupied.

Prominent Baptist Coming—Rev. James Mursell, who has occupied important Baptist pulpits in England and in Brisbane, Australia, will be a visitor in Victoria on Thursday next. In the evening he will give an address in the First Baptist Church, when members and friends of the city Baptist churches will listen to a distinguished Baptist minister, and a member of a noted Baptist family.

Tombola Winners—The committee in charge of the Diamond Jubilee Frolic held at the Sons of Canada Hall wish to thank all those who helped to make the frolic a success. Thanks are due to Thomas Plimley, Limited, P. Burns & Company, Columbia Paper Company, and Vancouver Milling & Grain Company, Limited. Tombola winners were: 1, 841; 2, 648; 3, 777; 4, 507. Those who hold the numbers may phone the secretary at 619Y.

Closing Mission Talks—This afternoon (Sunday) and evening the Rev. Dr. J. T. McCrossan, of the Christian and Missionary Alliance, will give the closing talks of the week at The King's Hall, the subjects being "The Second Coming of Christ," and "What the Bible Teaches Regarding Jesus Christ." Large attendances have characterized these meetings every day. The Stephenson sisters are singing the Gospel there also.

City Police Court—Fung, a Chinaman, pleaded guilty through his counsel, Mr. Richard C. Lowe, in the city police court yesterday to a charge of being the keeper of a gaming house at 549-551 Fisgard Street, and was fined $50. Twenty-nine Chinese, taken by the police in a raid on the premises on Friday night, pleaded guilty to being inmates, and each was fined the sum of $10. George Smith was fined $5 for failing to produce a driver's licence upon the demand of a police officer.

Accidental Death—A verdict of accidental death was returned by the coroner's jury inquiring yesterday into the death of Mrs. Annie Elizabeth King, held at the Sands' Funeral Parlors, conducted by Coroner Dr. E. C. Hart. Mrs. King was knocked down on Pandora Street last Thursday morning by an automobile driven by Mr. Herbert Vye, and died in the Jubilee Hospital shortly after. Evidence at the inquest was given by Dr. J. P. Vye, who attended the deceased, Frances Wetherall, John Latham, Nora Hickling and Dr. A. G. Price.

MAY 29 IS ROYAL OAK DAY—AN OLD ENGLISH CUSTOM

Today is Royal Oak Day, an anniversary that in these later years is honored more in the breach than in the observance. It commemorates the triumphal entry of Charles II into London as King, after the regime of the Commonwealth. The Restoration, as described in Evelyn's diary, was marked by unparalleled rejoicing. He speaks of the way strewn with flowers, the streets hung with tapestry, the bells madly ringing, the fountain running with wine, the magistrates and the companies all out in their ceremonial dresses, the windows and balconies full of ladies, trumpets, music and myriads of people flocking even so far as from Rochester.

The Parliament of the time passed an act, "that in all succeeding ages the 29th of May be celebrated in every church and chapel in England, and the Dominions thereof, by rendering thanks to God for the King's peaceable restoration to actual possession and exercise of his legal authority over his subjects." This act was observed until the year 1859.

Politicians Move Into Campaign In North Okanagan

North Okanagan is to be invaded by members of the Government in the hope of instilling fresh life into the campaign being conducted on behalf of Dr. K. C. MacDonald, the Liberal candidate in the contest.

Hon. J. D. MacLean, acting Premier, and Hon. E. D. Barrow, Minister of Agriculture, will take their departure at an early date to attempt to counteract the popularity of Mr. W. F. Kennedy, the Conservative candidate in that riding. Hon. S. F. Tolmie, the leader of the Conservative party in the Province, also is assisting Mr. Kennedy.

Recent visitors from that riding who have been in the city state that the Conservative candidate is waging an excellent contest, and his personal popularity is making him easily the favorite as to the final result.

On the Government side there is every attempt being made to induce the electorate to vote Liberal from the standpoint that the riding will thereby be better looked after. This "loaves and fishes" argument, however, is being met by the other side with a reference to the fact that the late Mr. A. O Cochrane, as a Conservative member, was able to show larger expenditures in his riding than had been the case during the representation of Dr. Macdonald.

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Places Centre Of Earthquake On Tibet Border

Commenting on the report from Washington placing the location of Sunday's great earthquake in Western China, Mr. F. Napier Denison, superintendent of the Gonzales Observatory, says that the observations point to six thousand miles from here, with reports of 7,800 miles from Washington, D.C., and 5,500 miles from Sydney, N.S.W., and these traced as radii of a circle on the globe intersect on the Tibet border.

He points out there was a parallel case in the terrible earthquake in Kansu, Western China, March 24, 1923, when thousands were killed, and the report of which did not reach Peking until May 1 following. Last Sunday's earthquake, from the record obtained here, was far more severe, and it may be several months before a report comes from the remote centre of disturbance.

He doubts if the disturbance will be traced to a submarine trouble in the South Seas, because by this time reports would have come in from some islands of the resultant seismic waves.

ESQUIMALT RIDING LIBERALS ELECT

Officers Are Chosen by Divisional Liberal Association at Luxton

The Sooke end of the Provincial riding of Esquimalt won special favor in the election of officers of the Liberal Asociation last evening at Luxton Hall. In the selection of the officers the choice of president fell upon Mr. E. Milne, of Sooke, with Mr. E. Clarke, of Shirley, vice-president, and Mr. H. G. Macdonald, of Sooke, secretary-treasurer. For the position of president, Mr. A. T. Weight, of Esquimalt, was placed in nomination, the ballot giving Mr. Milne the selection. In both other elections the choice was by acclamation, Mr. A. Kahout, of Sooke, withdrawing his name from nomination for the position of secretary-treasurer.

Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King and Hon. John Oliver were elected honorary presidents. The remaining members of the executive committee will be elected by the various local organizations contained within the central one.

Mr. S. A. Pomeroy, the retiring president, stated that he would not allow his name to go up for the presidency owing to the fact that he found that he could not give the time that the position required to the work of the organization.

Resolutions were passed expressing regret at the illness of Premier Oliver and conveying to him wishes for his speedy recovery. This resolution was moved by Mr. A. T. Weight. Another resolution moved by Mr. J. Stuart Yates expressed regret at the illness of Hon. W. Sloan and the loss to the country through his removal from the duties of his office. Resolutions of confidence of the Government at Ottawa, and in the Provincial Government were also carried.

There were seventy-four votes represented at the gathering, forty-eight of them being present in person from all parts of the riding, and the other twenty-six being by proxy.

A hearty vote of thanks to the retiring officers was passed.

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ANZAC GETS PENSION

The strength of the British Empire Service League and the need for its affiliations is amply borne out by a recent case handled by the Britannia Branch of the Canadian Legion.

An ex-Australian soldier who has since taken up residence in Victoria asked the branch to take up the matter of his pension, and it is pleasing to record that the matter has been adjusted and that he will receive pension as from June, 1924.

The matter was brought to the notice of the Rt. Hon. S. M. Bruce, Prime Minister of Australia, during his recent visit and the secretary has since communicated with him on the matter, with the result that the Britannia Branch is able to write off another pension case as "Result satisfactory."

Town Planning Body Ask Government Aid

VANCOUVER, May 28.—Resolutions seeking further support for modern town planning principles from Federal and Provincial Governments were ordered prepared by the convention of the Town Planning Institute of Canada at its concluding session here today. The resolutions will be prepared by the council of the institute and forwarded to the respective governments.

Robert Baird, inspector of municipalities, British Columbia, presided at the convention. Mr. Baird spoke of the necessity for an educational campaign to combat the argument so often confronting town planners. "What right have you to dictate what I am to do with my property?" The public must be brought to realize that there is a broader form of ownership which can not be bought and sold—the ownership which belongs to the community."

Other speakers included Mr. Mitchell, city manager of Edmonton; Alfred Buckley, Ottawa; Mr. Cromyn, London, Ont.; Reeve J. A. Paton, Point Grey; Councillor D. W. Grimmett, South Vancouver; H. L. Seymour, Vancouver, and Stewart Young, of Saskatchewan.

TOMB OPENED BUT QUEEN IS MISSING

CAIRO, Egypt, May 28.—Dr. George A. Reisner, Harvard Egyptologist, has opened the masonry-sealed recess in Cheops' Tombs, but did not find the mummy of Queen Hetepheres, mother of Cheops, which he hoped would be there.

In the recess was a canopic box divided into four sections, containing organic matter, which, in two of the compartments, was covered with clear, yellowish liquid. The organic matter is supposed to be the intestines of the queen, removed prior to the mummification of the body.

Main interest in the discovery centres in the liquid, still in a fluid state, after thousands of years. It is being analyzed.

BOARD'S POWER WILL BE TESTED

INTERESTING ACTION RE LAND SETTLEMENT TO BE TRIED IN COURTS

Mr. F. M. Rattenbury Claiming Damages for Having to Relinquish Wild Land Rights

An interesting action is likely to be tried out in the courts of the Province with respect to the rights of the Land Settlement Board in expropriation proceedings. The test of the powers of the board will be made at the instance of Mr. F. M. Rattenbury, well-known architect of this city, who through his solicitors, Messrs. Elliott, Maclean & Shandley, claims damages for loss through the course that was pursued by the board.

The circumstances which led up to the action are well known to the public. Mr. Rattenbury became the possessor of wild lands in the Province some years before the war in the days when the G.T.P. was in course of location and construction. For years he was a heavy taxpayer on these lands, and eventually organized a company for the purpose of carrying out a colonization scheme along the route of the railway.

WAR SPOILED SCHEME

With the outbreak of the war the colonization end of the business then under way was interfered with, and eventually as a result of what is claimed to have been penalty taxation for the non-improvement of the wild lands in question, Mr. Rattenbury had to relinquish his right to the areas, which passed into the hands of the Government and were utilized under the Land Settlement scheme for the purposes of that body.

A decision of the Privy Council that where a tax is imposed that in its incidence is scattered so as to embrace people known and unknown, the court being unable to separate them, the imposition is viewed as indirect taxation, and therfore ultra vires of the powers of the Province is cited as a basis for action.

CLAIMS INDIRECT TAXATION

It is contended in the statement of claim in the action of Mr. Rattenbury that the imposition of a penalty tax for failure to improve wild lands within a district which has been declared a settlement area, and where lands have been sold by the registered owner under agreements of sale, forms indirect taxation within the compass of the Privy Council decision.

The plaintiff is claiming damages, alleging that as a result of actions by the Land Settlement Board he has lost $500,000.

LEAVES TO JOIN MANXMEN'S RALLY

Mrs. Shelton, of Victoria, Answers Call to Attend Great Reunion in Isle of Man

Mrs. Shelton, of the Delhi Hotel, Yates Street, left yesterday for a two months' holiday in the Isle of Man. She was accompanied as far as Vancouver by her daughter, Mrs. Bradford. Mrs. Shelton is a Manx women who has responded to the invitation extended to all Manx people from all parts of the world to hold a great reunion this year. She will sail on the Albertic on June 3 to Douglas, Isle of Man.

The following is an extract of a letter sent by Mrs. Shelton which appeared in The Isle of Man Weekly Times on March 26: "I believe that there will be hundreds of Manx people scattered all over Canada and America on whom your issue will have the effect of drawing them home, and that they, like me, will be in a hurry to make reservations to insure against disappointment. I have not words sufficiently affecting to express the admiration I have for the originator of this great homecoming idea, but I can imagine the pleasure it will give him (I refer to your mayor) when he sees the results. 'Coming Home' is a good slogan for my Isle of Man this year. The Scotch do not know what 'clannishness' is in comparison with us Manx. I am proud of it."

TORONTO, May 28.—A special train carrying delegates to the Canadian Manufacturers' Association convention at Calgary, Alta., will leave Toronto tonight. The party will spend Monday in Winnipeg and Tuesday in Regina, arriving in Calgary on Wednesday.

The Garden Week by Week

By NORMAN W. F. RANT, F.R.H.S.

One of the great disadvantages of many of our most beautiful subjects, particularly among Alpine plants, is their short season of bloom, so it is a great advantage to include in one's collection a number of plants which have a long flowering season, or which may be made to bloom a second time.

Many of the erodiums have a long flowering season. Erodium Chrysanthemum is one of the best and flowers for many months when once established, but it must have a hot, dry position with perfect drainage or it is apt to Winter-kill. It has yellow flowers which go well with its beautiful silver foliage.

Although rather tall for the rock garden, unless it is a large one, Geranium endressii is a very desirable plant. It is hardly ever out of flower and its pink blooms are very attractive.

Among the Violas there are some that are long flowering. The pure white form of Viola cornuta is one of them. It blooms for months on end and then, when it does begin to fade, if it is cut over it will be in bloom again in a week. The violet form is also a long bloomer, but the pure white is far and away the handsomer plant of the two. Viola gracelis is also seldom out of flower, and is, also, one of the very best rock garden plants that can be grown. Its royal purple flowers are in a class by themselves.

CUTTING PLANTS BACK

There are many plants which will produce a second crop of flowers if cut back as soon as the first bloom is over. It is necessary, to obtain the best results, that this operation should take place just as soon as the first signs of fading are seen. The Maiden pink, Dianthus deltoides, and its varieties will bloom again in a very short time if this is done and will be found to be in flower until November. A very good way to keep up this succession of bloom is to have a large-sized drift of this plant and to cut back some plants quite early and others later. By this means one can have an almost continuous bloom. Many of the other pinks may be treated in a like manner with results just as satisfactory.

Iberis will give a second bloom if well cut back about the first of June, and so will Thrift.

The Siberian wallflower, Chieranthus allonii, will bloom three times in a season if cut back the moment the best of the bloom is over. This plant should be grown in goodly quantity (it comes very easily from seed) and by sowing at different times one can have it always from April till November. Common though it is, and despised by some of the highest of "highbrow" gardeners who go so far as to say that it has no place in a self-respecting rock garden, it is one of the best plants for color effect that one can wish to have. Its true orange flowers, in the mass, make one of the finest splashes of color imaginable.

MORE THAN RARITY

It must be remembered that the simple fact of a plant being rare does not make it a suitable subject for the garden. A plant must have something more to recommend it than rarity. It must be beautiful in itself or in masses. The little Erimus alpinus, particularly the bright red form, is a common enough plant, but it is one of the most showy subjects in the rock garden. It is even better in a wall. It Winter-kills sometimes, but it always seeds itself and when once introduced you will always have it. It has the advantage of being quite long in its flowering season.

Many of the ordinary border plants may be kept in flower for a long period by the cutting-back process. Among the subjects which lend themselves to this treatment are Delphiniums, and it is wonderful what a second crop can be had by cutting these hard back. The second flower spikes will not be as large as the first, but there will be lots of them.

CUTTING TALL PLANTS

The Helenium are very popular in the border late on in the season, but in small gardens they are often considered too tall, as they grow to a great height. A very simple means is available to prevent this. If about the first of June one cuts them back to within about eight inches of the ground the growth will not be nearly so tall and the plant will be much more bushy and attractive. The same thing may be done with the hardy chrysanthemums and with the perennial asters.

There are many plants which can be kept in flower by careful pruning at the right time, and it is simply a matter of experiment to find out just which plants will answer to the treatment. It is a good plan to try it on just one plant and see what the effect will be.

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Women's Clubs and Societies

GARDEN FETE IS POPULAR FUNCTION

Hundreds Throng Government House Grounds During Boy Scouts' Carnival Yesterday

The Lieutenant-Governor, accompanied by Miss Helen Mackenzie, opened a successful garden fete in aid of the Ladies' Auxiliary to Boy Scouts at Government House yesterday. Several hundred persons took part in the many games provided by the Ladies' Auxiliary, assisted by Mr. H. T. Ravenhill.

The Fairfield Troop of Scouts held an archery game, St. Mary's Troop provided a cocoanut shy, St. Michael's Troop an art gallery and exhibition of lariat throwing, Tillicum Troop an air rifle gallery, Collegiate Troop clock golf, while the Oaklands Troop provided a jazz orchestra. Other entertainments were big game hunting, Aunt Sally, puff ball, and character reading. A Scout stall of articles made entirely by the boys was well patronized.

St. Mary's North and South Packs of Wolf Cubs staged a short play, which was repeated twice; jungle dances were carried out by the Royal Oak and North Quadra Packs and the Fairfield and Memorial Packs, and games were played by St. Michael's and Oaklands' Packs.

Miss Ann Sharp, accompanied by Pipe Major Cameron, daintily danced a Highland fling upon the greensward, and Miss Gertrude Partridge and her pupils executed seven fancy dances, representing national characteristics.

Stalls were arranged for the sale of ice cream and candies, while an "al fresco" tea was served at the east end of the grounds amidst delightful surroundings.

His Honor was escorted from the House to the review by Scout Duncan. He showed great interest in the contests.

Proceeds from the fete will be devoted to the general expenses of the local association, which is in need of financial assistance. Thanks are extended by the committee to Fletcher Brothers for loan of a piano and gramophone.

Women's Institutes

SALT SPRING ISLAND

The grounds of the White House, Fulford Harbor, kindly lent by Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Eaton to the members of the Women's Institute for its holiday fete on May 24, were the scene of several stalls, side shows and sports. Two performances of Jarley's waxworks took place in the house during the afternoon. These were organized by Mrs. Eaton, children representing various characters, and Miss Gropp impersonating Mrs. Jarley. Mrs. T. A. Jackson and Miss Gladys Shaw were responsible for the attractive lucky fishpond. Mrs. J. Horel and Miss B. Shaw held a stall of fruit, soft drinks, balloons, etc. Mrs. Tom Akerman sold ice cream. Cocoanut shies were in the hands of Mr. C. Wakelin, and Aunt Sally in charge of Mr. R. Morris and Mr. Frank Downey. A programme of sports was arranged by Mr. T. A. Jackson, who, with Mr. M. Gyves, carried out the races.

Teas were served on tables in the grounds and managed by Mrs. Charles Mollett, Mrs. Ted Akerman, Mrs. Dakin, Mrs. D. Maxwell, Misses Ayres and M. A. Hamilton. Mrs. Emsley was the winner of the raffled doll, and Mrs. Eaton of the pretty silver flower vase, for the beans in a bottle guessing competition. A baseball game took place in the baseball grounds adjoining here, and another stall of miscellaneous articles, soft drinks, etc., was managed by Mrs. Wakelin. The dance which followed, in the evening, at the Institute Hall, was most successful, 200 guests being present. By the day's entertainment the Institute cleared $125, which will go towards the painting of the Fulford Hall.

ROYAL OAK

The Royal Oak and Strawberry Vale Women's Institutes are holding a combined meeting on Wednesday evening, June 1, at 8 o'clock at Strawberry Vale Hall.

Mr. Norman Whittaker will give an address on "State Health Insurance." There will also be a short address on "Home Economics," and a musical programme will include numbers by Miss Winnifred Greenwood.

GARDEN CITY

The regular monthly meeting of the Garden City Women's Institute will be held on Thursday at 2:30 p.m. in the Marigold Hall. A feature of the programme will be a kitchen apron competition for which a prize will be given. This is open to any who wish to compete.

ESQUIMALT

Under the auspices of the Esquimalt Women's Institute an apron shower will be held at the home of Mrs. G. Wyse, 464 Head Street, on Wednesday, from 3 to 5 p.m. Afternoon tea will be served.

LAKE HILL

A delightful children's party was held in the Lake Hill Community Hall on Friday evening, under the auspices of Lake Hill Women's Institute. The occasion marked the end of the classes in physical culture and dancing which have been a source of pleasure and instruction to the young folks of Lake Hill during the past three months. A feature of the evening was the competitive dancing. In the minuet for girls of twelve or under, the prizes were awarded to Thelma Stratford and Eileen Lowe, and in the waltz, Margaret Stewart and Eileen Mountford were the winners. A prize to the boy making the greatest progress was won by Alvin Bigham, and the consolation prize went to Muriel Mercer. Much praise was accorded Mrs. Lloyd for the capable way in which the classes have been conducted. Mr. and Mrs. Hart acted as judges of the dance competition, and Mrs. Macnicol presented the prizes. Mrs. Scott voiced the thanks of the pupils to Mrs. Lloyd for her untiring efforts in their behalf. A delicious buffet supper was served by Institute members during the evening.

VICTORIA

The monthly business meeting of the members of Victoria Women's Institute was held on Friday in the Institute rooms, 103 Union Building, with the president, Mrs. K. Palmer, presiding.

A carefully prepared and interesting report of the provincial conference held at Chilliwack, from May 18 to 20, was read by the official delegate, Mrs. Palmer, to whom a special vote of thanks was given for her report. Mrs. J. D. Gordon, newly appointed provincial president, and Mrs. F. Campbell, president of the Islands District Board, also spoke briefly of this successful conference.

Mrs. Gilson and Mrs. Laird were appointed to fill the two vacancies of the V.W.I. board of directors.

Plans were formed for the help Victoria W.I. plans to give to the garden party on June 16 at Government House, to be given by the Islands District board of directors, with Mrs. F. Campbell as general convener. The home cooking stall will be convened by Mrs. Palmer, with Mrs. Adam and Mrs. Gilson assisting. Afternoon tea will be under the joint convenership of Mrs. Laird and Mrs. Terry.

A sewing meeting will be held on Wednesday afternoon next at the Institute rooms, to make and embroider covers for the balsam needle cushions which are to be sold at a special stall at the garden party.

A report of the recent Golden Rule dinner was given by Mrs. Peden, who attended on behalf of the Institute.

Reports were given by conveners of the different Institute committees, showing much work and progress. Many letters were read and dealt with.

On account of June 3 being a holiday, the usual first Friday social afternoon will be cancelled this month.

One new member and several other members who attended after having been ill or absent from the city were welcomed.

DANCE AT GORDON HEAD

A dance will be held in the Gordon Head Hall on Friday evening, from 9 to 1 o'clock, in aid of the Gordon Head Boys' Naval Brigade. A two-piece orchestra will furnish the music.

garden party on June 29, in the garden of Rev. Father Wood's residence, Esquimalt Road.

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King's Daughters Meeting

The regular meeting of the Ministering Circle of King's Daughters will be held on June 10, instead of June 3.

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King's Daughters to Meet

The district meeting of the King's Daughters will be held tomorrow in the rest room at 2:45 o'clock.

Women's Clubs And Societies

Silver Tea

A successful silver tea was held last Thursday afternoon under the auspices of the Mission Circle of Emmanuel Baptist Church, at the home of Mrs. J. A. Armstrong, 1533 Gladstone Avenue. During the afternoon pianoforte solos were rendered by Miss Mae Mason, Miss Shields and Mrs. G. H. E. Green. The dining-room and tea table were prettily decorated with parrot tulips and yellow arabis. Mrs. J. R. Clements and Mrs. W. H. Clark poured tea.

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Women's Conservative Party

Victoria Women's Conservative Association is holding a bridge and five hundred party followed by a dance tomorrow evening at 8:15 o'clock in the clubrooms, Campbell Building. Refreshments will be served and Mrs. Mayhew will read the cups. Table or single reservation may be made through any member of the association or the convener, Mrs. Mowat, 5418X.

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Lodge Primrose

The social meeting of Lodge Primrose No. 32, Daughters and Maids of England, was held on Friday evening in the S.O.E. Hall, the worthy president, Mrs. McKenzie, in the chair. Members are asked to note that the date of the proposed visit to Vancouver is June 10. Those who intend to go should telephone 2616L as soon as possible.

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Guild for Sailors

The June meeting of the Victoria branch, Ladies Guild for Sailors, will be held on Thursday afternoon in the Connaught Seamen's Institute, Superior Street. A full attendance of members is asked, as final plans for the forthcoming garden party will be completed.

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Y.W.C.A. Rummage Sale

A rummage sale under the auspices of the Girls' Work committee of the Y.W.C.A., will be held at 1430 Government Street on Wednesday at 9:30 a.m. Donations will be welcomed and may be left at the above address on Tuesday, or will be called for on telephoning 5868R.

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Partner Whist Drive

The Women's Progressive Conservative Club will hold a partner whist drive and dance at the Sons of England Hall, Broad Street, on Tuesday, when valuable prizes will be given. The members extend a hearty welcome to the general public.

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Home Cooking Sale

The Parent-Teacher Association of the Victoria West School will hold a sale of home cooking in the basement of David Spencer's, Limited, on Saturday. Contributions for the sale will be thankfully received on Friday afternoon at the school.

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Rummage Sale

The Guild of St. Barnabas' is holding a rummage sale in the schoolroom, at the corner of Cook and Caledonia Streets, on Wednesday at 2 p.m. Contributions may be left at the schoolhouse on Tuesday morning.

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To Hold Whist Drive

The members of the Progressive Spiritual Mission will hold a whist drive at the Forum rooms, Pandora Avenue, on Wednesday at 8:15 p.m. Good prizes and music will be provided.

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Daughters of Pity

The regular meeting of the Daughters of Pity will be held at the home of Miss Jessie F. Mackenzie, 1744 Lee Avenue, tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock.

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Rockland Park W.C.T.U.

Rockland Park W.C.T.U. will hold a parlor meeting on Tuesday at 3 p.m. at the home of Mrs. F. W. Laing, 1419 Stanley Avenue.

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Senior W.A. Party

The Senior Women's Auxiliary of St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, is holding a party of sale and home cooking at Yale Street Hall on Thursday.

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Esquimalt League

The Esquimalt subdivision of the Catholic Women's League will hold a

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Oak Bay Choir to Hold Magical Entertainment

The choir of Oak Bay United Church is putting on a novelty concert and magical entertainment in the basement auditorium of the church tomorrow at 8 o'clock. The programme will consist of vocal and instrumental solos and readings by favorite local artists; part songs and quartettes by members of the choir; a children's ballet and demonstrations of mystery and magic.

The assisting artists will include Miss Isobel Crawford, Mrs. McKenzie, Mr. Robert Frith, Mr. Fred Francis and Mr. W. Harkness, I.B.M., in the role of magician and pupils of Miss Violet Fowkes.

The proceeds will be devoted to the purchase of music for the choir's use.

St. Saviour's Anniversary

The fortieth anniversary of St. Saviour's Church will be held today. Special services will be held to celebrate Holy Communion at 8 a.m., with matins at 11 a.m. and evensong at 7 p.m. The rector, Rev. Edwin Moss, will preach at the morning service, and Rev. Robert Connell in the evening. The choir will render special music, the anthem being "O Worship the Lord."

To Hold Garden Party

A garden party in aid of St. Alban's Sunday School will be held at the home of Mrs. T. A. Simmons, 1504 Hillside Avenue, corner of Gosworth Street, on Wednesday at 3 o'clock. At 3:30 the Oaklands School choir will sing and there will be dances and musical numbers during the afternoon.

Tea and fancy ices will be served on the lawn, there will also be stalls of fancywork, home cooking, marmalade, candy, etc., cocoanut shies and a wigwam for the children. The party will be carried on to the evening when an open-air concert will be given, commencing at 7:30 p.m., dances by pupils of Sefton College, a jazz band concert by the Oaklands Troop of Boy Scouts, and other numbers.

Welsh Society Meeting

The Victoria Welsh Society will hold its monthly meeting at Harmony Hall on Friday evening. The following will take part in the musical programme: The Misses Edith Lewis, Phyllis Williams, Mrs. Hobden, Messrs. Thomas, J. Jones, W. Jones, the Welsh Dramatic Club and the Welsh Society Glee Party. Refreshments will be served at the conclusion of the programme.

Drama and Education

Mrs. C. C. Fuller has accepted an invitation to speak on "The Educational Value of Dramatic Study" at the B.C. Dramatic School on June 11.

Successful Recital Presented by Pupils Of Mrs. E. Semple

The annual recital of the piano and violin pupils of Mr. and Mrs. E. Semple was held last evening in the schoolroom of the Oak Bay United Church, Mitchell Street, when a long and difficult programme was cleverly rendered before an enthusiastic audience of parents and friends of the pupils. Evidences of careful teaching on the part of the pupils were apparent, and the understanding and appreciation shown in the interpretation of the various selections, both piano and violin were marked.

The ensemble playing of the violin class was of fine, sweet tone, and good volume, and the time and technique particularly commended themselves to the audience. Mr. E. Semple ably conducted the orchestral part of the programme, with Miss Beatrice Griffin at the piano, and Mrs. Semple played sympathetically, the accompaniments for the violin soloists. The following students took part in the programme: piano, Kathleen and Willie Irving, in duet and solos; Keith Stibbard, Kathleen Carter, Allan Baker, Lydia Dawley, Ailsa Braidwood, Rosie Gould, Madeline Dawley, Jack Carter, Verna Holt and Dorothy Hadie, who played selections from the following composers, Beethoven, Bach, Nevin, Cui Frimi, Gann, Clementi, Dubois. The violin students in solo work were Alec. MacInnes, Jack Morrison, Billy MacInnes, Lillian Jones, Ralph Gould, Una Bevan, Chris Muller, Stanley Wakeman. Owing to the number of students taking part, no encores were allowed, though many of the performers were repeatedly recalled.

The orchestral part of the programme consisted of "Basket of Roses," F. G. Albers; "In a Chinese Temple Garden," Ketelby, which with "Mignonette," by Baumann, and "Snowflakes" by G. R. Brown, were received with great appreciation. The violinists were S. Wakeman, S. Gillis, Dorothy Hargreaves, Una Bevan, Lillian Jones, R. Gould, S. Warnock, J. Morrison, Mrs. Pollock, Miss Warnock, Corinne Keevil, Miss Shannon, Miss Stirratt, J. Foubister, E. Holt, A. Treloar, Marion Halls, P. Stibbard, B. MacInnes, A. Anderson, Gwennyth Protheroe, Ina Foubister, Alex MacInnes, K. Cameron, D. Baker, Mildred Wright, Roddy MacLean, C. Billingsley, Loy Owens, C. Miller. "God Save the King" was also played with fine spirit by the violin class, closing a successful entertainment.

Weddings

RIVERS—MASON

The marriage was solemnized on Monday at Breadalbane, the residence of the officiating minister, Rev. Dr. Campbell, of Miss Alice Mason and Mr. Horace Watson Rivers, both of this city. The bride wore a gown of cream georgette crepe and on her head a wreath of orange blossom. She carried a bouquet of pink roses and lilies of the valley, and was attended by Miss Isabel Taylor, in a frock of Canton crepe and picture hat to match. Mr. Robert Mason was groomsman. Mr. and Mrs. Rivers left on the night boat for Vancouver, and on their return will reside in this city. Among the many presents received was a silver tea set from the firm of Mitchell & Duncan, where the groom is employed, and a set of carvers from the staff.

Holding Silver Tea

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Army and Navy Veterans will hold a silver tea at the residence of Mrs. Harris, 816 Cook Street, on Wednesday, June 1.

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Society and Women's Affairs

Marriage in Vancouver

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Surprise Party Held

A pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Higgins on Thursday as a surprise party for Miss Margaret Eastman; a popular bride-elect, who is leaving on Wednesday for New Zealand. Little Miss Christianson, dressed as a bride and escorted by Master Brian Higgins, presented a daintily dressed box containing gifts which were many. Among them was a silver tea service given by old neighbors of the family, also silver spoons, towels, and other articles. The evening was spent in music, recitations and speech-making. The hostess, assisted by Mesdames Lippett and Hunter, served delicious refreshments from a table prettily decorated in crimson and white. The singing of "She's a Jolly Good Fellow" and "Auld Lang Syne" terminated a happy evening. Those present were Mesdames Bradley, Creighton, Christianson, Dauphin, Eastman, Hillier, Hunter, Knight, Lippett, Latham, MacPherson, Robertson, Reah, Thame, Peterson, Wilkes, Whitworth and Young, and Misses L. and M. Eastman, I. Bradley, K. Creighton, C. Axhorn, B. Christianson, A. Hillier, D. Higgins and C. and B. Higgins.

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Shower for Bride-to-Be

Mrs. A. E. Pellou entertained at a miscellaneous shower on Thursday evening at 950 Wollaston Street, in honor of Miss Hilda Reynolds, whose marriage will take place in June. Little Jean McConnell presented the many useful gifts to the guest of honor from a huge decorated shoe. The color scheme was carried out in orange and blue. During the evening music was enjoyed, after which a buffet supper was served. The invited guests were Mrs. B. Caley, Mrs. A. Wells, Mrs. F. Wells, Mrs. Banks, Mrs. Hooper, Mrs. C. Ockenden, Mrs. J. Dunlop, Mrs. E. McConnell, Mrs. M. Crowe, Mrs. Elsmore, Mrs. C. Meade, Mrs. C. Smith, Mrs. D. McInnes, the Misses Hilda Reynolds and Hilda Boatman, Helen Ockenden and Lily Thompson.

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Luncheon for Brides-Elect

A delightful buffet luncheon was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. B. Ker, Shasta Avenue, yesterday by Mrs. R. H. B. Ker and Miss Inez Ker in honor of Miss Peggy Schofield and Miss Maraquita Nichol. The other invited guests were Miss Helen Mackenzie, Mrs. Maurice Wood; Mrs. Pat Marston, of Ashcroft; Mrs. Russell Ker, and Misses Betty Schofield, Patsy Heming, Marion Wilson, Anna McBride, B. M. Pemberton, Betty Robertson, Helen and Norah Wilson, Sheila Gillespie, Kay Clay, Lucy Bryden, Vivian Matson, Kathleen Ross, Phyllis Barton, Catherine Fraser, Betty Kirk, Mary Campbell, Jane and Freda Warter and Doris Gibson.

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Bridge Hostess

Miss Marjorie Oates entertained last evening at a bridge party at her home on Newport Avenue, in honor of Miss Maraquita Nichol and Miss Peggy Schofield. The other guests included Miss Jean Dunbar, Miss Sheila Parr, Lieutenant Mainguy, R.C.N.; Lieutenant J. R. Roy, R.C.N.; Lieutenant-Commander Worth, R.C.N.; Mr. Harold Wilson, and Mr. Henry Buss

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Marriage Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Mosedale, 152 Cambridge Street, announce the marriage of their only daughter, Cicely Edith, to Mr. Charles Reginald Keown, of Seattle. The marriage took place in Seattle on May 24. Mrs. Keown at present is visiting her parents, but will leave shortly to join her husband in Seattle, where they will reside.

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Entertain at Bridge

The Misses Doris, Jean and Athalie Gibson were hostesses at a bridge party on Thursday evening at their home in York Place, given in compliment to Miss Janet Lang, who is leaving today, accompanied by her mother, on a five months' visit to England.

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Dinner Party

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Heisterman, St. Charles Street, were hosts at a dinner party on Friday evening when their guests were Mr. and Mrs. John R. Totten, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Will Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Winslow and Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hill.

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At Beverley Hotel

Guests at the Beverley Hotel Apartments, 724 Yates Street, include Mr. and Mrs. Nuttall, city; Rev. W. L. Macrae, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. Guest, city; Mr. Applegak and Miss Applegak, Vancouver; Mr. R. G. McLeod, Seattle, and Mrs. Hewitt, Seattle.

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Returns From Vancouver

After spending the past few weeks in Vancouver, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Buchanan, Miss Doreen Ashburnham has returned to the city and is spending a few days with Mrs. Mellander, Lampson Street.

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Arrived From England

Miss Ora Pearson arrived from England yesterday afternoon, and is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Hadley, Brighton Avenue, for the week-end. She will later visit Mrs. O. M. Jones, Island Road.

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Leaves for Minneapolis

Mrs. W. P. Palmer, who has been spending the Winter with her sister, Mrs. D. M. Carley, left for her home in Minneapolis on Friday, accompanied by her niece, Miss Maureen Carley.

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News of Bereavement

Mr. Andrew Stuart Robertson of this city has received a telegram from Montreal announcing the death of his younger brother, Mr. W. Frew Robertson, son of the late Mr. Andrew Robertson, of Montreal.

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Dinner Party

Mr. and Mrs. Alexis Martin, McGregor Avenue, entertained at a dinner party on Friday evening in honor of Miss Maraquita Nichol and Lieutenant Mainguy, R.C.N.

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To Arrive From England

Sir Reginald Butler, Bart., of London, England, and Lady Butler are expected to arrive here shortly.

Former Cowichan Girl to Be Married Shortly

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THE engagement has been announced of Marian (Tu-tu) Innes-Noad, daughter of Hon. F. R. Innes-Noad, M.L.C., New South Wales, and Mrs. Innes-Noad, of Vancouver, formerly of Duncan, to Flying Officer A. L. Morfee, Royal Canadian Air Force, of High River, Alberta, formerly of London, England. The wedding will take place in Calgary this week. Miss Innes-Noad has been much feted in Vancouver during the past week, many luncheon parties and "showers" having been arranged in her honor.

Back From Vancouver

Mrs. J. T. Jones, 854 Phoenix Street, has returned home from Vancouver and has as her guests Mrs. J. N. Kidd and her nephew, Mr. Harold H. MacMillan, of Vancouver.

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Leaving for England

Mrs. Gourlay Lang, accompanied by Miss Janet Lang, will leave today for Montreal, from which port they will sail by the steamer Albertic to spend the Summer months in England.

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Returns From Hospital

Mrs. M. Cartwright, of East Sooke, is sufficiently recovered from her recent illness to leave the Jubilee Hospital and return to her home.

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Here From California

Having motored from Whittier, California, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lamphere and two children are in Victoria, visiting relatives and friends.

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To Visit in Honolulu

Mrs. D. M. Carley will leave on Wednesday on the Aorangi on an extended visit to her son, Mr. R. G. Carley, in Honolulu.

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Visiting Parents

Mrs. P. Marston arrived from Ashcroft yesterday morning on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wilson, St. Charles Street.

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Here From Alert Bay

Miss Margaret Kinney, R.N., matron of St. George's Hospital, Alert Bay, is visiting her parents, Captain and Mrs. C. P. Kinney, 1722 Bank Street.

Salt Spring Island

Col. and Mrs. Pugh, who have been guests for several weeks of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Hoole, have left the island, and are taking a six weeks' motor tour in the States. They are accompanied by Mrs. Pugh's sister, Mrs. D. J. P. Warner, of St. Mary's Lake, Salt Spring.

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Mrs. Bowden, who has this week arrived from England, intends making her home on the island with her son, Mr. Litchfield Bowden, of North Salt Spring. She was accompanied by her nephew, who is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Wilson, of "Barnsbury."

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Mrs. F. C. Turner of Ganges, is visiting Vancouver for a few days.

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Mrs. C. H. Layard and her son, of Deep Cove, have returned home after visiting the island for a few days. They were the guests of Mrs. Oxenham, of Ganges.

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Col. and Mrs. Lonsdanie recently arrived from England and are spending some weeks on Salt Spring Island. They are guests of Col. and Mrs. Bryant, of Fulford Harbor.

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Mr. Le Greaw and Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell, of Vancouver, are guests registered at Harbor House, Ganges.

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Miss Gladys Borradaile, of Ganges, is visiting Nanaimo for a week. She is the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. F. Roberts.

Chemainus

Mr. T. Fairbairn, Victoria, president of the Royal Life-Saving Society, was here last week. He is anxious to get in touch with any holders of the society's bronze medal, and he would like to form a life-saving class in Chemainus. Those interested are requested to write to Mr. Fairbairn at 3052 Carrol Street, Victoria, or telephone 82, Chemainus.

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The Saltair United Farmers' Institute held an enjoyable whist party on Friday. The prize winners were: Ladies' first and second, Mrs. Newcombe and Mrs. Baker; consolation, Miss Newcombe; men's first and second, Mr. Walter Porter and Mr. L. France; consolation, Mr. Newcombe.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stirling have returned to their home in Vancouver after spending a week here with Mr. and Mrs. L. Robinson.

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Mr. Percy Cupit, of Vancouver, spent a week here recently with friends.

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Miss Martha McBride has returned to Victoria after a short visit here with her mother.

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A well-attended dance was held at the Recreation Club on Thursday evening, a large number of visitors from Duncan and Ladysmith being among those present. Cawdell's four-piece orchestra from Duncan dispensed good music, while Mrs. Jacobson and Mrs. Murray capably convened the supper.

Royal Oak

Mrs. A. E. Campion has as her guests her brother, Mr. A. C. Macdonald, and small son Jimmy, of Vancouver.

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Mrs. Norman Craig left last week for Carstairs, Alta., where she will spend some time as the guest of her parents. Her two small daughters accompanied her on the trip.

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Mrs. H. T. Hughes, of Elk Lake, is visiting her son, Mr. Gordon Hughes, at Montreal, and also attending the graduation exercises of McGill College. Mother and son expect to sail for Europe in the near future, and will spend some time in Belgium before returning.

Ladysmith

Mr. and Mrs. Garner motored to Victoria, accompanied by Mrs. Moore and her sons and daughter, to spend the holiday with friends.

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Mr. E. D. Comley and family visited Victoria last week, spending the holiday with friends, returning home by motor on Wednesday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. Hartley spent a few days in the city on business during the week.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. Weaver motored to Victoria on Thursday on business.

Deep Cove and Patricia Bay

Mrs. Gordon Kenning and children are spending the Summer at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Moore, at Patricia Bay.

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Mr. Kenneth Moore, of Victoria, is spending a few days at his home here.

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Miss Alma Turton, of Centre Road, left this week with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wheeler for Banff, where they will spend the Summer.

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Miss A. Spiksley, of Patricia Bay, is visiting relatives in Victoria.

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Mr. John Copithorne, sr., of Deep Cove, has left for Jumping Pond, Alta., on business.

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Mr. Eric Moore, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Davidson, West Road, for the last three weeks, left on Thursday for his home in Prince Rupert.

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Mrs. Stephen Jones and her young son Harold and little daughter Mildred, are spending the Summer at their home, East Road.

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Miss Lottie Braithwaite, of the West Road, returned Saturday from Vancouver, where she was visiting friends.

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Mrs. Barker, of Victoria, has taken Miss Horth's house at Patricia Bay for the Summer.

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Professor Paul Boving and Mrs. Boving and their two children, Ellen and Peter, of Point Grey, B.C., are expected to arrive this week to spend the Summer at their home in Meadlands.

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Mr. "Bud" Robinson, of Salt Spring Island, who has been staying for the last three months at Patricia Bay, will leave on Monday for his home.

Well Dressed Tresses Replace Bobbed Style In New York and Paris

The coiffeurs, both in New York and in Paris, have tried, season after season, to coax women into a permanent long-haired mode. As things are now they are kept busy clipping and waving and reshaping, because everyone knows that short hair is far more trouble than long hair, that can be skewered up into an imposing structure, covered with a net and left with scarcely another thought.

One thing is certainly now demode. That is the atrocity in the shape of a point at the nape of the neck that the hairdressers so carefully cultivated, whether it grew there or not. If your hair does grow in a point naturally, you're lucky. If it doesn't it is the better part of smartness to have it cut following the natural hair line.

Transformations, which are really little wigs, are now having a vogue among extremely smart women.

These are worn as a costume accessory rather than to cover any defects of your own hair. The favorite color for this new wig is ash blonde. Not the glittering golden blonde that we have been told so dishearteningly often that gentlemen prefer, but a silvery ash blonde that has a lovely high-keyed tone under the evening lights. This ash color is particularly lovely.

Foresters' Social

Victoria Lodge No. 1, I.O.O.F., will hold a social evening at the headquarters on Douglas Street, tomorrow, at 8 o'clock, to which members and visiting brothers are cordially invited.

EXPRESSES THANKS

The A.O.F. baseball team wishes to thank the pupils of Miss Mona Jewell and artists who took part in making the concert such asuccess, which was held at the A.O.F. Hall on Friday in aid of the team, also Mr. Heaton for the loan of the Orthophonic, which was greatly appreciated.

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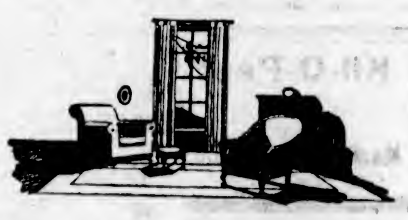

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AUXILIARY ASSISTS NEW UNION COLLEGE

Substantial Sums Have Been Raised During Past Year by United Church Organization

NEW WESTMINSTER, May 28.—Organized with the object of assisting the Union Theological College at the University of British Columbia and Columbian College of New Westminster, the Provincial Women's Educational Auxiliary of the United Church closed a very successful year, Mrs. W. T. Reid, president, said in her presidential address at the first annual meeting here this morning. "For the Union College we have pledged ourselves to raise the money for furnishing the dormitories, and for Columbian College the keeping of the buildings and grounds in good condition and attractive as a home and school for young people." A new auxiliary was organized in September at Chilliwack and is now flourishing. In the near future auxiliaries will be organized in other towns of the Province, Mrs. Reid stated.

The session opened with an attendance of over 200 members and delegates from the auxiliaries at Vancouver, Victoria, New Westminster and Chilliwack. The address of welcome was given by Mrs. B. A. Hopkins, of New Westminster Auxiliary, and was responded to by Mrs. Barber, of Chilliwack. Greetings were brought from the Local Council of Women and the Parent-Teacher Federation of New Westminster.

The sum of $3,838 was raised during the year, Mrs. E. Day Washington, treasurer, reported, of this amount the New Westminster Auxiliary raised $1,145, the Victoria Auxiliary $560, Vancouver, $2,095, and Chilliwack, $35. For furnishings for Columbian College the sum of $1,476 was spent, and on Westminster Hall $261. The sum of $1,195 was set aside for furnishings for the dormitories of the new Union College.

Girls of St. John's W.A. Give Three-Act Comedy

A three-act play, "The Elopement of Ellen," was given on Friday evening by the W.A. of St. John's Church. The parts were well taken, the acting of Mr. H. Warburton as Rev. John Hume being particularly fine. Mrs. Tice played several delightful piano solos between the acts, and Mrs. F. Butterfield sang two solos. The girls of the W.A. are indebted to the Weller Furniture Company and the Hudson's Bay Company for furnishings and stage properties. The play was given under the direction of Mr. S. C. Hawkins, and the cast was as follows:

Richard Ford, a young husband, Miss G. Barlow; Molly, his wife, Miss Inez Flint; Richard Shellard, Molly's brother, Graham Harris; Max Tenenck, Miss Hulton; Dorothy March, engaged to Max, Miss Iris Hall; June Haverhill, Miss Lena Butterfield; Rev. John Hume, H. Warburton.

PRETTY WEDDING AT ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH

Miss Violet E. Rhodes and Mr. Samuel Buzza United in Marriage Yesterday

Miss Violet Elizabeth Rhodes, daughter of Mrs. Lillian Rhodes of this city, was united in matrimony to Mr. Samuel John Buzza at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church yesterday at 12:30 o'clock by Rev. J. S. Patterson.

For the occasion the church was decorated with Michaelmas daisies and honeysuckle. The bride, who was given in marriage by her mother, wore a beautiful gown of white crepe de Chine, fashioned with a long bodice, and full skirt finished with three rows of white satin ribbon. Her bridal veil was caught to her head with a coronet of orange blossoms, and she carried a shower bouquet of Ophelia roses, sweet peas, lily of the valley and maidenhair fern.

Mrs. A. Gisbourne acted as matron of honor in a gown of orchid georgette trimmed with velvet pansies and hat of mohair trimmed with orchid and silver.

Miss Irene Rhodes, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, wearing a frock of orchid satin, trimmed with gold lace, and a becoming hat to match.

Both attendants carried sweet peas and maidenhair fern. Mr. J. Taylor acted as groomsman.

During the signing of the register, Mr. Trevitt sang "At Dawning," accompanied by Mr. Jesse Longfield, who played the wedding music.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's mother, 1129 Yates Street, after the church ceremony, Mrs. Rhodes wearing a gown of crepe de Chine with smart hat of bois de rose, assisted the bride and groom in receiving the guests. The wedding breakfast was served in the dining-room from a table beautifully decorated with roses and sweet peas, silver true lovers' knots being tied at each corner of the table. The three-tier wedding cake, surmounted by a vase of roses, was cut by the bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Buzza left to spend their honeymoon in Seattle and Vancouver, the bride traveling in a smart tailored suit of fawn Poiret twill, with chic hat of three-toned straw trimmed with French flowers.

The bridegroom's gift to the bride was a brooch; to the matron of honor a brooch of brilliants; to the bridesmaid an onyx ring, and to the best man golf cuff links. To the groom the bride gave a tie pin.

On their return from the honeymoon Mr. and Mrs. Buzza will reside at 1129 Yates Street.

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MANY RESERVATIONS FOR CHAPTER PARTY

Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.D.E., Arranges for Bridge, Mah Jong and Five Hundred at Victoria Club

MRS. R. B. McMICKING
Regent of Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.D.E.

The Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.D.E., will hold a bridge, mah jong and five hundred party at the Victoria Club, Campbell Building, tomorrow, at 3 o'clock.

Conveners are reminded to bring their own cards, score pads and mah jong sets. Tea will be served and non-playing guests will be welcomed at the tea hour.

Among those who will play are Mrs. Bunbury, Mrs. Montague, Miss Malone, Mrs. Hudson, Mrs. Colquohoun Holmes, Mrs. Fred Holmes, Mrs. Colin Cummins, Mrs. Teasdale, Mrs. J. S. Brown, Mrs. R. F. Green, Mrs. R. H. Green, Mrs. G. Y. Simpson, Mrs. G. Chisholm, Miss Gill, Mrs. W. Henderson, Mrs. Hargreaves, Mrs. E. C. Hayward, Mrs. C. Wilson, Mrs. Backler, Mrs. P. Taylor, Mrs. W. S. Campbell, Mrs. Fred Pollard, Mrs. E. B. Macleod, Mrs. Semple, Mrs. John Wood, Mrs. Angus McKeown, Mrs. E. Cooper, Mrs. S. W. Walker, Mrs. Drummond Hay, Mrs. W. J. Goepel, Mrs. Lambert, Mrs. Horsey, Mrs. Le Blanc, Mrs. D. E. Campbell, Mrs. Brae, Mrs. (Dr.) Thomas, Mrs. R. W. Perry, Mrs. Brocklebank, Mrs. Walter Burton, Mrs. Musgrave, Mrs. Bowker, Mrs. Lewin, Mrs. A. McBoyd, Mrs. Jaffray, Mrs. Kynock, Miss Kathleen Roberts, Mrs. Angus, Mrs. W. Allan, Miss Penwill, Mrs. A. Sommers, Mrs. Collings, Mrs. Warder, Mrs. W. Munsie, Mrs. E. B. Dickson, Mrs. George Brown, Mrs. D. O. Cameron, Mrs. F. A. Rounding, Mrs. Barraclough, Mrs. (Dr.) Pearse, Mrs. H. Sharpes, Mrs. Cusack, Mrs. G. A. Richardson, Mrs. J. E. Dunbar, Mrs. Whittier, Mrs. Marks, Mrs. Vantreight, Mrs. Frank Gibbs, Mrs. J. D. McLean, Mrs. J. D. Gordon, Mrs. F. Partridge, Mrs. C. Armstrong, Mrs. C. Gardiner, Mrs. Stephen Jones, Mrs. R. R. Taylor, Mrs. R. T. Elliott, Mrs. R. R. Mosher and Mrs. Lancaster.

Mrs. R. D. McCaw will sing at the close of the playing of the cards.

Tables for single hands may be reserved by telephoning Mrs. R. L. Phillips, 7950R, or Mrs. Pat Sinnott, 1561L.

J. D. A. Tripp Gives Recital on June 7

The recital which J. D. A. Tripp is scheduled to give in Victoria on June 7 will be an outstanding event in musical circles, for he has been acclaimed by competent critics to be Canada's leading pianist. An English journalist, writing of Mr. Tripp's last London appearance, spoke of him as Canada's Paderewski. Mr. Tripp's playing is characterized throughout by a fine technique, a crisp, clear touch and good temperament well controlled. His interpretation follows closely the lines of tradition—he has a reverence for the past, yet at the same time he is thoroughly individual. His Victoria concert, which is one of a series of seven, is under the direction Mrs. Milton White.

Pupils of Miss Francis To Be Heard in Recital

The pupils of Miss Dorothy Francis will give a recital on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the New Thought Temple, the following contributing: John Hudson, Molly Boorman, Teresa Parker, Peggy McNeill, Ronald Cragg, Robert Townsend, Marian Bell, Walter Colvin, V. La Pointe, A. Bucklin, B. Sledge, P. Cockell, Leslie McGuire, Doreen McGregor, Catherine Clibborn, Carol Cockell and Patricia Cockell.

Fashion Fancies

By Marie Belmont

Ideal for any country sports activity is the smart two-piece frock above, which a fashionable designer has worked out in silk serge.

The dress itself is white, with navy and a softer blue used for trimming. The wide belt is navy suede.

For active sports, the model would be more practical, and equally as smart, in English broadcloth or washable silk. Note the tiny camel applique on the small white felt hat.

Dinners and Teas Occupy Society in Vancouver

Dinner Hosts

VANCOUVER, May 28.—General and Mrs. R. P. Clark were hosts at a dinner party recently at the Georgia Hotel, when their guests included General and Mrs. Edmond Panet, of Montreal, General and Mrs. Harold Macdonald and Colonel and Mrs. O. F. Brothers.

From Madrid

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Cebrian, of Madrid, have been spending a few days here, and have been the guests of honor at several smart affairs, including a dinner dance given on Thursday evening by Miss Margaret Stewart at her home, Ardvar, Shaughnessy Heights. On Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. Julius Griffith entertained at bridge and mah jong at their home, and on Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Cebrian were hosts at a dinner, when their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Mischel Cherniavsky, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Shallcross, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Griffith, Mrs. Algernon Crawston, of San Francisco; Mrs. J. W. Stewart, Miss Phyllis Baker, Mr. Knight, Mr. Rollo Peters, Mr. Stephen Leonard, Mr. Patrick Fraser and Captain Bagshaw.

Bridge Hostess

Mrs. Charles Banks was a bridge-luncheon hostess on Thursday, when her guests included Mrs. Sally Lang Nichol, Mrs. Ronald Buchanan, Miss Nancy Buchanan, Mrs. Bruce Robertson, Miss Doreen Ashburnham, of Cowichan; Miss Lucy Clegg and Miss Wynn Johnson.

Entertains at Bridge

Mrs. Ronald Buchanan chose bridge as her form of entertainment when she was at home to Mr. and Mrs. Colin Ferrie, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Robertson, Miss Doreen Ashburnham, of Cowichan; Miss E. Silbernagle, Miss Isobel Russell, Mr. Hugh Russell, Mr. Henry Sherwood, Mr. Stringer, Mr. John Drayton and Mr. Ruskin.

Holds Reception

A number of friends assembled at the home of Mrs. J. R. Rearden, Florence Court, on Wednesday afternoon, when her daughter, Mrs. Ernest Charles Buscombe, held her post-nuptial reception. Mrs. Buscombe received her guests wearing her lovely wedding gown, and was assisted at the tea hour by her bridal attendants.

Return Home

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wilkinson have returned to their home in this city after spending the past month in Southern California. Mrs. Wilkinson, prior to her recent marriage, was Miss Marion Cameron.

Back From South

Mrs. R. H. C. Green and Mrs. William Robertson have returned to their homes in this city after spending the Winter months in California.

At Vernon

Mrs. J. H. Senkier is spending a few days in Vernon.

CANADIAN ORDER CONVENES HERE

Plans Made and Full Agenda Drawn Up for Fourth Annual Gathering

Plans are being made for the fourth annual convention of the Canadian Daughters, which will be held in Victoria on Wednesday and Thursday of this week. Committees appointed for the various details in connection with the convention are as follows: Programme for Tuesday evening reception, Mrs. Farr and Mrs. Pike; Thursday banquet, Mrs. Galbraith and Mrs. McLeod; reception, Mrs. Stuart Henderson, Mrs. G. W. Lillie, Mrs. Geake and Mrs. McInnis; refreshment committee, Mrs. Pike, Mrs. Geake, Mrs. Winkle and Mrs. Cattilles; decorating, Mrs. Edwards, Mrs. Tuson and Mrs. Dewar; courtesies committee, Mrs. Lillie, Mrs. Galbraith and Mrs. Henderson.

The list of agenda for the two days' sessions is as follows:

Tuesday, 8 p.m.—Mrs. E. S. Farr and Mrs. Pike, conveners, and Mrs. Ritchie as chairman; "O Canada"; addresses of welcome, His Worship Mayor Pendray; Sons of Canada, William Ivel, past president, Sons of Canada; visiting members, Mrs. Minnie Ritchie; response, grand chaplain, Mrs. Markle, Vancouver; piano selection, Miss Gwen Harper; reading, Mrs. Ramsay; vocal solo, Miss Violet Johnston.

Wednesday morning, business of convention; Wednesday afternoon, adjourn at 3 p.m. for drive and visit to Parliament Buildings.

Thursday morning—Business session.

Thursday evening—Banquet, conveners, Mrs. Angus Galbraith and Mrs. McLeod, with Mrs. Ritchie in the chair; "O Canada"; toast of "Canada," proposed by Mrs. Barr; response, Mrs. Stuart Henderson; toast, "Commonwealth of Nations," proposed by Mrs. E. S. Farr; response, Mr. Creelman, president, Sons of Canada No. 1; toast, "Sons of Canada," proposed by Mrs. Del Murray, past grand president; response, William Ivel, past grand president; toast, "Canadian Daughters," proposed by Colonel McGuigan, grand president; response, Mrs. Brown, grand president; vocal solo, Mrs. R. McIntosh; piano selection, Miss Dorothy Greenwood; "God Save the King."

After the banquet an informal dance will be held in the Sons of Canada Hall.

The Grand Council officers will make their headquarters at Alexandra House, while accommodation has been reserved at the Strathcona Hotel for visiting delegates and visitors.

The official delegate from the Canadian Daughters No. 5, Victoria, is Mrs. Angus Galbraith.

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The Co-optimist Comedy Company will present Roland Pertwee's rollicking farce, "Evening Dress Indispensable," at the Crystal Garden Tuesday evening concert. Those who take more than passing interest in stage matters will welcome the opportunity to see this play. Written by one of the most brilliant present-day writers, it has created a furore of comment wherever it has been presented. As the writer so naively describes it, "Evening Dress Indispensable" is an utterly nonsensical play.

Miss Ella Pottinger will take the part of the young girl who becomes completely bored with life. The attentions of her young man, Mr. L. L. Phillips, become tiresome in the extreme; dinners, theatres and dances hold not the slightest interest. Then mother, Mrs. Legge-Willis, finds the remedy and applies it with startling and amusing results. Mrs. Sturrock and Mr. Legge-Willis have parts to take which have much to do in revealing to the young lady the absurdity of her folly.

The Crystal Garden Orchestra will also be heard in a number of splendid concert numbers, and the evening will conclude with a popular dance, to which the entire audience is invited.

Girl Guide Concert

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Giving Concert at the Mill Bay Solarium Today

The Gizeh Temple Band, which, under Bandmaster James M. Miller, will present a programme at the Queen Alexandra Solarium, Mill Bay, this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Many are expected to seize this splendid opportunity of seeing the wonderful work this institution is doing in connection with crippled children requiring prolonged and specialized treatment. The surroundings are all cheerful, and the little children are happy and confident that ere long they will be restored to activity and normal child life.

KUMTUKS ARE DINNER HOSTS

WOMEN INDICATE THEIR ACTIVITIES AND OPPORTUNITIES IN MANY LINES

Delegations From Business Women's Clubs of Neighboring Cities Given Hospitality Here

Following their annual Empire Week custom, the Kumtuks Club are this week-end entertaining delegations from business women's clubs of the neighboring cities of Vancouver, Seattle, Bellingham, Everett and Mount Vernon.

The first and most important part of the programme devised for the visitors' entertainment was the dinner at the Empress Hotel ballroom last evening, which demonstrated the delightful spirit of fellowship in existence between the various organizations. Speeches of welcome from the Victoria Club were followed by pithy and amusing greetings from the sister societies represented, the majority of the spokeswomen couching the most important part of their messages in clever verse. Speeches were interspersed and followed by club songs and stunts, and about 10 o'clock, when the formal part of the entertainment was nearing its conclusion, the Rotary Club members, and their wives, who had been dining in the grill-room downstairs, joined the gathering and shared the pleasures of the remainder of the evening with the ladies societies.

The Kumtuks' annual dinner began at 7 o'clock, Miss Mabel Cameron, the president, presiding as chairman. With her at the head table as the special guests of the evening, were Miss Jane Mills, of Everett; Miss Amy Edwards, president of the Vancouver Business Women's Club, and Mrs. Sprott, past president; Mrs. Porter, Miss Fairbanks and Miss Murray, of Seattle; Miss Elsie McLaren, of Bellingham, and here were seated also two past presidents of the Kumtuks Club, Miss Wigley and Mrs. H. P. Hodges. Mrs. Archie Wills, Mrs. J. H. Gillespie, Mrs. Goodlake, Mrs. Diggon, Mrs. C. W. Bradshaw, Miss Doris Bagshawe were other special guests.

The only toast of the evening was to Mrs. McLaren, popularly known as "the Mother of the Kumtuks Club," who gave the Chatauqua salute in response to the cheering and singing of "For She's a Jolly Good Fellow," which greeted the announcement that she was shortly to celebrate her eighty-ninth birthday. Three daughters, Mrs. Bradshawe, Mrs. Lasenby and Miss Kate McLaren were in the audience.

ORIGINAL GENIUS

Great orginality and appropriateness were shown in the choruses which enlivened the early part of the proceedings. Victoria songs included "Victoria Welcomes the Kumtuks," sung to the tune of "Tit Willow." This was composed by Mrs. Hutchinson. "Vancouver Home," composed by Miss Jessie Murray; "The Son of God Goes Forth," composed by Mrs. Matheson. In addition to these numbers, sung by the entire gathering, Victoria's share of the programme contained some excellently-designed tableaux vivants, arranged by Mrs. Stewart and Miss Ormiston, the series being entitled "The Musings of a Young Man," or "A Dream of Fair Women." As the Young Man, Miss Doris Bagshawe was intensely realistic in so far as appearance went. While she sang fragments of old songs, visualization of each song-subject appeared as a frame picture on the stage, Mrs. Helen Stewart posing for "Mary Lou," Mrs. Morgan as "Sweet Adelaide," Mrs. Grute, a dainty Japanese lady, as "The Jewel of Asia," Miss Beatrice Griffin, in smart riding kit, as "Irish Colleen," Miss Gilman as "Smillin' Through," Miss Rita Ormiston as the Spanish beauty, "Marcheta," and Miss Wigley as a patient-faced "Mother Machree."

The Vancouver club gave some spirited choruses, "Now Kumtuks Eyes Are Smiling," "Victoria Kumtuks," "We'll be Meeting You Kumtuks," all of which were enthusiastically applauded.

THE SPEECHES

In her greetings to the visitors, Miss Cameron, the Victoria Kumtuks' Club president, noted that this was the year in which Canada celebrated the sixtieth anniversary of Confederation, and guests were asked to note the maple leaves placed beside the individual plates in commemoration of the fact. The three Mount Vernon delegates, who arrived just after the dinner began, were given a special welcome; also three eastern Canadian visitors, Miss Child, of Winnipeg, and Miss Nairn and Miss Moberly, of Toronto, who have been in Victoria with the Canadian Conference on Child Welfare.

Miss Jane Mills, of Everett, brought greetings from the business women's club there, telling something about the usefulness of the organization in helping young business women of the city; Miss Fairbanks, of Seattle, referred to the growth of the club spirit. During the past year there had been sixty-seven women's clubs added to the national federation, making the total number of clubs in the United States 811, with a membership of over 200,000. Miss Amy Edwards, president of the Vancouver Club, thanked the Victoria Kumtuks Club for having given them Miss Charlotte Clayton, now their secretary, and a highly valued member. Miss Porter spoke for the Seattle Kumtuks, and Miss McLaren for the Bellingham delegation, the latter bringing an invitation for a rally there in 1929. One of the Mount Vernon visitors also brought greetings before Mrs. Sprott, past president of the Vancouver club, on behalf of her organization presented a beautiful bouquet of roses to Miss Cameron, the Victoria Kumtuks' president. The last address of the evening was made by Mrs. Hodges, who recited some of the things which business women's organizations might strive for. Incidentally she pointed to the lack of interest shown by women in the use of the franchise which they now possess, and urged that members do all in their power to arouse women to a sense both of their privileges and obligations in this matter.

Luncheon at Mount Douglas Park, and a climb up the hill later for those who wish to make the expedition, is part of today's programme of entertainment for the visitors.

The Vancouver delegation included Miss Dora Rollett, Miss Eileen O'Brien, Miss Allerton Peters, Mrs. Annie Sprott, Mrs. Alice Hastings, Miss Amy Edwards, Miss Laura Carscadden, Miss Charlotte Clayton, Miss A. Brown, Miss Josephine Dauphinee, Miss Julie Goy, Mrs. Helen Mulcahy, Miss Jean Cantelon, Miss Neil Peden; from Seattle, Miss Josephine Porter, Mrs. Emily Curry, Miss J. W. Murray, Miss K. J. Alcock, Miss M. E. Kerr, Miss Bertha Campbell, Miss Mary Rogers, Miss Carol S. Dench, Miss A. McMurland, Miss Arletta Macklin, Miss Mary Hyndman, Miss Le Mesurier, Miss Nan Wallace, Miss Lulu Fairbanks, Miss Harkin Govenlock; from Bellingham, Miss Bessie McLaren; from Mount Vernon, Mrs. Halliford, Mrs. Malcolm and Miss Gardiner.

Entertain Mothers At Annual Banquet

The C.G.I.T. groups of the Emmanuel Baptist Church, with their leaders, Miss Nina Rigby and Miss Lillan Parfitt, were hostesses to their mothers and guests at their annual "Mother and Daughter" banquet, given on Friday evening last. The three group tables and the guest table were prettily decorated for the occasion in the group colors and the C.G.I.T. colors. Mrs. Sherwood and Mrs. Clements judged the competition in table decoration and awarded first place to the "Pals" group. After the supper hour the girls entertained their mothers and guests with their C.G.I.T. songs and yells. Miss Rigby, on behalf of the girls, welcomed the mothers and guests, and spoke of the work of the C.G.I.T.

A pleasing feature was the presentation of a beautiful bouquet of flowers to Miss Rigby in recognition of her untiring service as head of the C.G.I.T. department. Miss Rosiemai Parfitt, president of the C.G.I.T. department, carried out her duties as chairman in a most efficient manner.

The programme opened with the toast to the King, followed by the singing of "O Canada." The toast to "Our Church and Pastor" was proposed by Miss Margaret MacLaurin and responded to by the pastor, Rev. H. Knox. "To Our Mothers" was proposed by Marjorie Waites and responded to by Mrs. A. H. Marrion. "To Our Guests" was proposed by Miss Lillian Hunt and responded to by Miss Aldyth Waites.

The speakers for the evening were Mrs. G. Guy and Mrs. H. Knox. Mrs. Guy spoke on the C.G.I.T. work in British Columbia and Mrs Knox gave a short talk on "Our Task" A vocal duet, "I Love the Name of Mother," was sung by Misses Mary Wormald and Rosiemai Parfitt. Mr. George Guy delighted his audience with two vocal numbers and Miss Dolly Pettierew gave a recitation. A pageant entitled "The Gate That Leads to Womanhood" was effectively given, the principal parts being taken by Misses Olive Baker, Katy Scoble, Helen Thomas and Kathleen Baker. The accompaniments were efficiently played by Mrs. G. H. E. Green and Miss Thelma Birnie. The evening was brought to a close by the singing of the C.G.I.T. hymn, "Follow the Gleam."

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The Queen Alexandra Solarium at Mill Bay will be open to the public today on the occasion of the Gizeh Temple Shrine Band's concert at 3 p.m. There will be a special bus service to Brentwood to connect with the ferry and from the ferry terminus to the Solarium at Malahat Beach.

The visit of the musicians will undoubtedly be hailed with delight by the patients and staff of the Solarium, while many Victorians will undoubtedly seize the opportunity to hear the band and see the Solarium at the same time. The programme will be as follows:

March, "Bravura (Duble).

Overture, "Fires of Glory" (Rockwell).

Valse, "Iidica" (Rollinson).

Descriptive paraphrase, "My Grandfather's Clock" (Amsden).

Cornet solo, "Beneath Thy Window" (Di Capua); soloist, George Green.

Selection, "Ray, May and Jay" (Fulton).

Interval.

March, "Porter's Catalina Band" (McCaughey).

Characteristique, "The Village Blacksmith" (de Carment).

Selection, "The Best-Loved Irish Melodies" (Hayes).

Spanish Serenade, "La Paloma" (Yradier).

Selection, "The Sunny South" (Lampe).

March, "National Emblem" (Bagley).

God Save the King.

Institutions Send Inmates to Arena Thanks to Aid

Mr. Joseph North expresses his thanks to those who helped to entertain the inmates of the Aged Women's Home, the Aged Men's Home, the Protestant Orphanage, and the Children's Aid Home at the Arena last evening to hear the Australian National Band. Messrs. Patrick supplied all tickets, Messrs. H. S. Stevenson and Rochon gave candies for women and children, Mr. E. A. Morris, cigars for the men, and transportation was supplied by the Gray Line and by the Veterans Blue Line Tours, Mr. Olsen supplied three parlor cars, and the latter a sightseeing car.

CHURCH ANNIVERSARY

Establishment Forty Years Ago Will Be Commemorated at St. Saviour's Today

Services to commemorate the fortieth anniversary of the parish will be held today at St. Saviour's Anglican Church, Catherine Street, Victoria West. The rector, Rev. Edwin Moss, will conduct the morning service and in the evening Rev. Robert Connell will preach the sermon.

Just forty years ago a number of Anglicans met in the old blacksmith shop and formed the parish, and a call was sent to Rev. W. W. Bolton, now of University School, to take charge.

No other place being available, services were conducted for some time in the blacksmith shop, when arrangements were made and funds raised for the building of the church on its present location at the corner of Henry and Catherine Streets.

For some years it was the garrison church for troops stationed at Work Point Barracks and a large number of the oldest families were at one time connected with it.

A concert and social evening will be held in the parish hall tomorrow, a cordial invitation to which is extended to all the parishioners, old and new, and their families.

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Pupils Give Pianoforte Recital for Parents

The pupils of Miss Winifred Scowcroft entertained their parents and friends most delightfully on Friday evening at the studio, 1034 Queen's Avenue, when they gave a pianoforte recital of distinctive merit. After the programme, refreshments were served and a very happy social hour was enjoyed. Those taking part were as follows: Muriel Ross, Grace Allen, Vera Waller, Kathleen Heap, Margaret Caldwell, Ruth Coates, Muriel Chave, Margaret Heap, Josephine Wong, Robert Horne, Dorothy Waller, Jack Phillion, Kathleen Caldwell, Dorothy Haggart, Donald McCain, Margaret Horne, Olive Maclean, Gertrude Scott, Lena Gardiner, Florence Horne and Miss Scowcroft.

AGRICULTURISTS CONVENING HERE

CANADIAN SOCIETY WILL MEET IN B.C.'S CAPITAL ON JUNE 15

Full Programme Arranged for Day to Be Spent in Victoria, Including Banquet

The Canadian Society of Technical Agriculturists will open their seventh annual convention at Victoria on June 15, proceeding from here to Vancouver on June 16, where the meeting will close on June 18. A series of advanced lectures will be given under the auspices of the Dominion Department of Agriculture.

Dr. G. C. Creelman, retiring president of the society, will deliver his presidential address at the luncheon in Vancouver, on June 16. Dr. Creelman was president of the Ontario Agricultural College from 1904 until 1920, when he was appointed Agent-General for Ontario in Great Britain. Illness forced him out of active work in 1921, since when he has owned and operated a fruit farm at Beamsville, Ontario.

Mr. L. P. Roy, president-elect of the society will preside during the Vancouver convention. He has been an active promoter of the C.S.T.A. in Quebec since its organization and has been Chief of the Field Husbandry Branch of the Quebec Department of Agriculture since 1919.

THE PROGRAMME

The Victoria programme will be as follows:

11:30 a.m.—Members of the C.S.T.A. will meet with members of the Canadian Seed Growers' Association at the close of its annual meeting and members of both organizations will motor to the Dominion Experimental Station at Sidney.

1 p.m.—Luncheon at Experimental Station, Sidney.

3 p.m.—Following an inspection of the Experimental Station, the motor trip will continue and visits will be made to Elk Lake, Geo. Robinson's Seed Farm, Butchart's Gardens and the Sunset Seed Company's farm at Keating.

7:30 p.m.—Provincial Department of Agriculture banquet at Empress Hotel, Victoria.

OFFICIAL DELEGATES

Official delegates to the convention selected to date are:

Alberta — G. H. Hutton, G. M. Stewart, E. A. Howes, D. H. Galbraith, W. H. Fairfield

British Columbia—W. H. Hill, W. M. Fleming, J. B. Munro.

Manitoba—F. Foulds, W. Southworth, G. R. Bisby, C. H. Goulden.

New Brunswick—E. M. Taylor.

Nova Scotia — M. Cumming, A. Kelsall.

Eastern Ontario—G. P. McRostie, W. T. Macoun, E. K. Hampson, P. Stewart, L. F. Burrows, F. T. Wahlen.

Western Ontario—W. J. Squirrell, A. H. MacLennan, B. Leslie Emslie, A. W. Mason, W. J. W. Lennox.

Niagara Peninsula—G. C. Creelman.

Quebec—L. P. Roy, F. N. Savoie, A. Desautels.

Ste. Anne de la Pocatiere—H. Tremblay, J. A. Ste. Marie.

North Saskatchewan—M. Champlin.

South Saskatchewan—C. M. Learmonth, M. P. McClellan, J. C. Noble.

Work of Sketch Club Inspected by Members

The Sketch Club of the Island Arts and Crafts held a most interesting meeting in the club rooms, Union Building, yesterday afternoon, when a large number of sketches, the recent work of members, were put up for criticism. After tea had been served, Mrs. Uthoff very kindly examined the work and pronounced upon it in a most instructive and encouraging way. While singling out a few sketches for special criticism, she gave helpful hints to all and found the work on the whole exceptionally good. The next field meeting will be held on Tuesday at the end of the Mount Tolmie car line, where members, having taken the 1:30 car from town, are requested to meet at 2 o'clock.

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Four Suits—Size 40.
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Regular Values to $35.00, Clearing at **$19.85**

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—Second Floor, H.B.C.

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—Second Floor, H.B.C.

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—Second Floor, H.B.C.

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$1.49

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White Honeycomb Bedspreads
Sizes for three-quarter and double beds. A great month-end offering. Values to $4.50. Sale.....**$2.98**

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50 Only Art Silk Bedspreads
A saving of two dollars on a bedspread Monday. Shown in many dainty color combinations; size 78 by 98. Regular $5.98. Sale Price at **$3.98**

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Size 15 by 22. Regular 65c. Sale Price .....**39¢**
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—Main Floor, H.B.C.

New Crepe House Dresses

Heavy Quality Cotton Crepe Dresses, with V neck and short sleeves; front and pocket trimmed with applique design and embroidery. Shown in saxe blue, peach, lemon, mauve, tan, orange, Copenhagen and green. Value $1.50. Sale Price, **98¢**

—Second Floor, H.B.C.

Millinery Bargains

Trimmed and Ready-to-Wear Hats
Good quality straw, straw and silk or all-silk hats, neatly banded or trimmed with flowers or ornament. Shown in pastel and bright colors as well as black. Value $5.95. Sale Price **$3.95**

Black and White Pattern Hats
Smart Pattern Hats and tailored styles in black and white, so popular this season for misses and matrons. Values to $12.50. Sale Price **$7.95**

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High-class models, taken from our regular stock. Values to $20.00. Sale Price **$12.50**

—Second Floor, H.B.C.

Hosiery Bargains

Women's Silk and Wool Hose
Wide Ribbed Silk and Wool Hose, with hemmed tops and reinforced heels and toes. Choice of black and white, castor and white, brown and white. Sizes 8½ to 10. Sale Price, per pair .....**98¢**

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Pure Thread Silk Hose, silk to the top; have spliced heels and toes. These are substandards, with very slight imperfections. Shown in a good range of colors. Sizes 8½ to 10. Sale Price, per pair **$1.10**

Children's Lisle Hose
Three-quarter length, ribbed lisle hose, with turn-down cuff in contrasting stripe design. Ground colors of peach, sand, blue and golden pheasant. Sizes 7 to 9½. Also lisle socks in white only, with colored turn-down tops. Sizes 5 to 8. Values to 50c. Sale Price, pair, **35¢**

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With Summer approaching with its heat and glare, you should safeguard your eyes by having your lenses ground in tinted glass.

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3 lbs. for **$1.60**

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Five Roses, Royal Household and Purity Flour, 24-lb. sack for **$1.32**
49-lb. sack **$2.57**
98-lb. sack **$5.12**

Shamrock Brand Side Bacon, sliced, per lb. .....**53¢**
H.B.C. Ceylon Broken Orange Pekoe Tea, per lb.....**65¢**
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Delicious Mixed Biscuits, comprising six popular varieties. Special, per lb.....**35¢**
3 lbs. for **$1.00**
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3 Tins Quaker Tomatoes, No. 2½; 2 tins Early June Peas and 2 tins Canned Sweet Corn. All for **$1.00**
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Empress Brand Raspberry Jam, 4-lb. tin .....**72¢**
Shirriff's Seville Orange Marmalade, 4-lb. tin .....**62¢**
Shirriff's Tru Fruit Jelly Powders, 4 for .....**27¢**
Aylmer Brand Canned Sweet Corn, per tin .....**12¢**
3 tins for .....**35¢**
Finest Quality Recleaned Australian Currants, per lb.....**11¢**

Sun-Maid Brand Seeded Raisins, in bulk, per lb. .....**14¢**
3 lbs. for .....**40¢**
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3 lbs. for .....**50¢**
B.C. Pure Extracted Honey, 16-oz. glass .....**32¢**

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New California Valencia Oranges, per dozen .....**35¢ 50¢ and 60¢**
Fancy Hothouse Tomatoes at, per lb. .....**35¢**
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NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

TOD MORGAN RETAINS JUNIOR LIGHTWEIGHT TITLE

CHAMPION OUTCLASSES FOLEY TO GET REFEREE'S DECISION

World's Titleholder Scores Two Knockdowns, One for Count of Eight and Other for Count of Two—Battle One of Most Savage Ever Staged on Mainland

Pile-Driving Rights to Kidneys Spell Defeat

Vancouver Lad's "Pep" Sapped in Early Stages Through Heavy Battering—Shows Great Gameness Against Master Craftsman and Never Admits Defeat—Champ's In-Fighting Revelation

VANCOUVER, May 28.—Superior in every department of fisticuffs, Tod Morgan, of Seattle, easily retained his title of junior lightweight champion of the world here tonight when he decisioned Vic Foley, of Vancouver, after 12 rounds of vicious milling. The champion scored two knockdowns, one for the count of eight and the other for a two count in the second and fifth rounds, respectively. Referee Joe Waterman, of Portland, announced that he based the decision on these two knockdowns and the champion's winning the majority of the rounds.

Over 5,000 fans watched the battle, which was one of the most savage ever staged here. Morgan's long reach and the challenger's inability to stave off a pile-driving right to the kidneys spelled his defeat. After the second round Foley appeared to be a knockout victim, but he fought gamely and was seldom in danger of being put away.

FOLEY GETS ONE ROUND

Foley was only awarded one round by the ring experts, the sixth, which he won by staging a rally which the champion failed to counterbalance. Three rounds were even and the remainder went to the champion.

Morgan fought a cautious fight. He took very few chances but when he hit he usually found the mark. The battlers fought mostly at long range and there was plenty of action. Morgan used a snaky left which kept Foley at bay and the challenger was forced often to leap at the champion to land. More than once Tod measured Vic off with his right hand cocked for a knockout, but the Vancouver boy was too clever to take the sleep punch.

The challenger got the first taste of the champion's dynamic left in the second round when he was sent spinning to the canvas. He kept on his knees shaking his head until the count of eight. The bell was welcomed ten seconds after the blow.

Thereafter Foley kept well inside the left and managed to get by nicely until the fifth when the champion demonstrated that his right was also cramful of T.N.T. He almost raised Foley off the floor as he brought the uppercut from the canvas, but the challenger took only a two count and went after the champion to land a hard right at the bell.

FOLEY GAME THROUGHOUT

Foley's gameness was the tit-bit of the fight. Facing a master craftsman, he never admitted defeat and was fighting savagely in the tenth round. Time and again he tried for a knockout, but was never able to get inside that workmanlike guard. Foley's pep was sapped in the early stages through a battering to the kidneys—a blow for which he appeared to have little defence. Morgan's work in the in-fighting was a revelation. He persistently worked around until he found an opening to whip in left and right uppercuts.

Foley was first to enter the ring and received a tremendous ovation. The crowd stood up and yelled for Foley as he took his seat.

Morgan entered the ring at 10 o'clock and walked over to shake hands with Foley.

Foley nodded to his friends and appeared unusually confident for a fighter who is fighting his first championship bout.

Weights were announced as follows: Morgan, 129 3-4; Foley, 125 1-2. Jow Waterman, of Portland, was announced as referee.

ROUND ONE

Foley landed first blow. Morgan stung Foley with left hook to chin. They fought cautiously. Foley was short with left to kidneys. Morgan used a shakey straight left which Foley cleverly avoided. Morgan planted a right to kidneys. It was open fighting with little clinching. Round even.

ROUND TWO

Morgan landed left to kidneys as they came together. Foley scored a sharp left to jaw. Morgan missed a vicious left and took a left to kidneys. Morgan whipped over a stinging right to jaw. Foley scored three lefts to jaw. Foley ripped left to kidney. Morgan cut loose with left to jaw and Foley took count of eight. Foley was up and fighting at the bell. Morgan's round.

ROUND THREE

Foley whipped left to stomach. Morgan fought cautiously, waiting for an opening. Morgan forcing the fighting. Morgan missed vicious right to heart. Foley took left and right to jaw and was bleeding at mouth. Foley's left eye was cut. Morgan missed left uppercut. Morgan's round.

ROUND FOUR

Foley staged a rally and caught Morgan on jaw and pushed champion to the ropes and drove two hands to kidneys. He landed savage rights before Morgan could reply. Foley was fighting cleverly. Foley pushed left to jaw. He was beating Morgan to the punch. Foley missed left to jaw. Morgan caught him with right to jaw. Morgan rocked Foley with right to jaw.

ROUND FIVE

Both were short with left chops. Foley scored light left to head. Morgan was fighting leisurely. Foley planted left to stomach. Morgan forced Foley to ropes, and landed right and left to jaw. Foley drove left to jaw. Morgan scored right uppercut to jaw. They were fighting savagely. Foley was dropped for count of two by left to the jaw. He landed hard left to chin as bell sounded. Morgan's round.

ROUND SIX

Morgan missed savage right to jaw. Foley took left to jaw and returned the compliment. Foley planted two lefts to jaw and right to kidney and he followed with uppercut to jaw. Both scored vicious lefts to head. Foley clipped champion with snakey left to jaw. Morgan rocked Foley with right. Foley's round.

ROUND SEVEN

Foley planted a left to the heart. Morgan was fighting more cautiously. Foley was cautioned for a low blow which Morgan had guarded down. Foley missed an uppercut but landed left to jaw. Morgan pumped sharp left to head but missed right uppercut. Morgan connected with a left to jaw. Foley hung on. At the bell Morgan pumped left to head. Round even.

ROUND EIGHT

Morgan sank hard left to kidney but Foley rushed him to ropes and planted right to jaw. Morgan missed savage left uppercut by inches. Champion ducked Foley's hard left. They were clinching after every lead. Morgan rocked Foley with left to jaw on ropes. He was forcing the challenger about the ring. Foley appeared tired. Morgan landed heavily with right and left uppercut. Morgan's round.

ROUND NINE

They sparred nearly a minute for an opening before Morgan connected with a hard right swing to kidney. Foley popped in sharp left to jaw. Morgan kept playing right to kidneys. Morgan was wide with right haymaker and took left to heart. Morgan pumped three lefts to face. The champion scored heavily in in-fighting. Morgan's round.

ROUND TEN

The champion whipped over a savage left to the jaw. Foley tore in and landed light blows to the body. Foley kept tearing in, but took punishment in in-fighting. Morgan shot long left to jaw and kept Foley at bay. Morgan trying for knockout. Morgan whipped both hands to body and left to head. Foley stung champion with hard left to jaw. Morgan planted three short lefts to the head at the bell. Morgan's round.

ROUND ELEVEN

Foley popped Morgan to face but took left to heart. Foley apparently had no defence for his left kidney, which was being beaten to a pulp. Foley shot lightning left to jaw. Foley winced as Morgan hit him in jaw, as champion chased him around the ring and stung him with short chops.

ROUND TWELVE

They shook hands at the bell. Foley planted right to stomach, but champion tore in and scored at in-fighting. Foley's left caught the champion in the jaw but it was feeble. Foley was fighting gamely, but Morgan stalled off his rushes. Morgan kept pushing tantalizing lefts to jaw but failed to measure Vic with right. Morgan planted right to kidneys before the bell. Morgan's round.

THE PRELIMINARIES

Hector McDonald easily decisioned Bud Davies at 126 pounds in the semi-windup, six rounds. McDonald gave Davies a boxing lesson. Both are Vancouver boys.

Billy Cox, of Vancouver, decisioned Ernie Woodley, of Victoria, in four rounds. They are 160-pounders.

Harvey Holliday, of Vancouver, outpointed Bobby Clarke, of Portland, 112 pounds, in four rounds. Clarke was saved by the bell in the second round.

Young Townsend, of Vancouver, and Bud Thomas, of Portland, 130 pounds, fought a four-round draw. Thomas spoiled the fight by continued clinching.

Toronto Given Women's Track and Field Events

MONTREAL, May 28.—The Canadian women's track and field championship of the Women's Amateur Athletic Federation of Canada for this year was awarded to the Toronto branch of the Canadian Ladies' Athletic Club at a meeting of the championship contest held here today.

Uplands Golf Club Champion Will Be Determined Today

THE finals of the Uplands Golf Club championship will be played today over thirty-six holes between A. V. Price and Clarence Brynjolfson. The first round will start at 9:30 a.m. and the second at 1:30 p.m. Following the match long driving, approaching and putting competitions will be held.

MRS. F. WILDING RETAINS TITLE

Wins Uplands Women's Championship for Second Year by Defeating Mrs. A. M. Boyd Five and Four

MISS GRANT WINNER OF FIRST FLIGHT

Mrs. F. Wilding successfully defended her title as the champion woman golfer of the Uplands Club yesterday afternoon when she defeated Mrs. A. M. Boyd, 5 and 4, in the final 18-hole match. The champion played stellar golf and had her opponent down all the way.

This is the third time Mrs. Wilding has reached the finals and the second year in succession she has won the title. Last year she defeated Mrs. Boyd in a close match, but three years ago Mrs. Boyd was the victor.

Mrs. Wilding played close to par golf in winning the title. She won the first three holes in a row, halved the fourth and went four holes in the lead at the fifth. The sixth was halved in five's. Mrs. Wilding won the seventh with a four, to put her five holes in the lead, but Mrs. Boyd took the eighth and ninth, leaving Mrs. Wilding three up at the turn.

Mrs. Wilding won the tenth with a par four again Mrs. Boyd's five. The next three were halved with four's. A par five on the fourteenth against Mrs. Boyd's six ended the match.

The scores were as follows:

Mrs. Wilding:
Out ..... 4 4 5 4 5 5 4 6 5—42
Mrs. Boyd:
Out ..... 5 5 6 4 6 5 6 5 4—43
Mrs. Wilding:
In ..... 4 4 4 4 5—21
Mrs. Boyd:
In ..... 5 4 4 4 6—23

MISS GRANT WINS FIRST

Miss Grant was the winner of the first flight, defeating Mrs. Tanner one up in the finals after a very close match. Miss MacNaughton won the honors in the second flight by defeating Mrs. Peachey five and three. In the putting competition held at the close of the matches Mrs. Challoner, with a score of seventeen, won the prize, while Mrs. Geiger was second with a round of eighteen.

At the conclusion of the competition Mrs. S. J. Halls presented the prizes to the winners. Announcement was made that a handsome silver trophy had been donated by the Jameson Motors for a ladies' competition to be played in September. Arrangements for the play will be announced later.

SEMI-FINAL MATCH AT OAK BAY TODAY

Jack Matson and Art Beasley to Play for Right to Meet Dick Moore for Victoria Golf Club Title

Either Jack Matson or Art. Beasley will meet Dick Moore for the championship of the Victoria Golf Club. Yesterday Beasley defeated A. T. Goward, 7 and 6, in the lower half of the flight, while Matson previously knocked Thornton Fell out of the running, 3 and 2.

Matson and Beasley will meet in the semi-finals of the lower half this morning at 9:30 o'clock, and will play over eighteen holes. Both are southpaws and an interesting game is expected.

In the first flight Harry Davis and Stan Haynes will battle and the winner will meet A. M. Shaw in the final. One match remains to be played in the second flight before the final lists are named. W. Moresby and L. H. Hardie are to play, and the winner will meet Roy Hadley for the honors.

Racing at Calgary

CALGARY, May 28.—Results of today's racing at Victoria Park are as follows:

First race, five furlongs

1	Lady Herode	$10.90	$ 5.60	$ 5.05
2	Albion Boy		3.90	2.55
3	North Shore			5.30

Second race, five furlongs

1	Bill McCloy	$ 4.70	$ 3.90	$ 2.70
2	Twin Star		11.60	4.70
3	Foe			3.50

Third race, five furlongs

1	Cibis	$ 5.95	$ 3.45	$ 2.45
2	Black Pat		4.00	2.60
3	Towton's Gem			2.30

Fourth race, one mile and one-sixteenth

1	Nebraska Lad	$14.70	$ 4.50	$ 3.75
2	Wiltrude Wood		2.90	3.30
3	Jola Shot			2.70

Fifth race, five furlongs

1	Unlucky	$11.90	$ 3.90	$ 3.35
2	Billy D.		2.95	2.60
3	Morning Orb			3.70

Sixth race, six and one-half furlongs

1	Virginia Morse	$ 4.60	$ 3.20	$ 2.75
2	Cordovan		2.85	3.10
3	Billy Skidd			3.70

Seventh race, one mile and one-sixteenth

1	Dumbfounder	$ 6.25	$ 3.70	$ 3.20
2	Preservator		2.80	2.75
3	Erica			3.30

Still Holds the Junior Lightweight Crown

Ladysmith Eleven Wins Connaught Cup Soccer

Defeat Saanich Thistles 4-2 in Gruelling Battle at Royal Athletic Park—Davis Scores Three for Winners—Minnis and Campbell Find Net for Locals—Fast Game Throughout

Using their openings to great advantage, Ladysmith defeated the Saanich Thistles soccer eleven 4-2 at the Royal Athletic Park yesterday, in the first round of the Connaught Cup series.

The game was fast throughout, and the 500 or more customers went away satisfied that they had received full value for their money.

The local team, which was the only local entry in this series, although defeated, put up a fine battle.

Play on the whole favored the Saanich Thistles, but the breaks of the game went to the visitors.

From the kickoff the Thistles staged a dangerous attack, and Connorton, on the right wing, centred nicely. Burns, in an effort to sag the net, forced a corner. This play was completed when Minnis booted the ball behind the line.

THE FIRST GOAL

The visitors carried the play down the left wing almost immediately after, and Davies put his boot to Strang's cross to beat Hetherington with a low shot.

Another attack by the Thistles brought the crowd to their toes, for a few seconds only. Hetherington was busy for the next few minutes saving shots from the opposing forwards, but when "Taffy" Davis got his head to a high centre from the outside left the ball continued on its journey into the net for a beautiful goal.

Fighting a two-goal deficit, the young Scots from Saanich were playing a hard game, and the opposing backs were being exerted to keep their citadel clear. Archie Campbell, playing inside right for the locals, opened the scoring for them when he planted a low shot in the corner of the net, Orr falling at full length in an effort to save.

This counter added zest to the attacking spirit of the locals and shortly after the visiting goalie was called out to save a situation which was extremely dangerous. Connorton broke away a few minutes later, but carried the ball too close to the touchline and, in endeavoring to centre, kicked past the upright.

A low shot by Archie Campbell shortly before half-time forced Orr to exert himself in making a save. The Thistles were pressing when the whistle sounded for half-time.

THE SECOND HALF

Five minutes from the commencement of the second stanza Davis netted his third counter of the match to put the visitors two goals in the lead.

The locals were fighting with their backs to the wall, but the defence put up by the winners was sufficiently strong to prevent any scoring.

Spruston, playing inside right for the visitors, made the score 4-1 with a clean shot just outside the penalty area.

John Minnis, holding down the same position for the Thistles, discounted this tally three minutes later when he rushed in and robbed Orr, who was attempting to save a shot from Minnis.

For the remainder of the match the teams maintained the fast pace that had been set previously in the game. The losers were working hard for the opportunity to tie the score, but the visitors' backs were settled and their efforts to penetrate the net failed.

Alcock handled the whistle, and the teams were:

Ladysmith—Orr; Smart and D. Thomson; Hallinan, Halliday and Heaps; Rafter, Spruston, Davies, Kulai and Strang.

Saanich Thistles — Hetherington; Campbell and Harper; Kennedy, Joe Crowe and Jim Campbell; Connorton, Archie Campbell, Burns, Minnis and Ewing.

DOEG AND JOHNSTON TO MEET IN SOUTH

Two Members of U.S. Davis Cup Team to Play in Semi-Finals—Mrs. Bundy Wins Women's Singles

SAN FRANCISCO, May 28.—John Doeg, of Santa Monica, chosen for a tryout for the United States Davis Cup tomorrow morning, went in the semi-finals of the men's singles in the Pacific Coast championship tennis tournament yesterday by defeating Bradshaw Harrison, 9-11, 10-8, 6-1. He will meet William M. Johnston in the semi-finals. Sherman Lockwood moved into the semis of the other half by defeating John Risso, of the University of California, 6-4, 1-6, 13-11.

Mrs. May Sutton Bundy, of Santa Monica, won her third round match in the women's singles by defeating Edith Cross, 6-1, 6-3.

Marion Williams, of La Jolla, in the same event, went into the semi-finals, where she will meet Helen Jacobs, the defending champion. Miss Williams defeated Dorothea Swartz, 6-1, 6-2.

Midge Gladman and Bob Allen, of Los Angeles, went into the finals of the mixed doubles by defeating Rose Marie Brunn and Neil Brown, 6-3, 6-1.

Typhoon Blows In to Win $7,820 for Owner

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 28. — Typhoon, by Thunderstorm, blew his owner, Kent Farm, $7,820 in first money by winning the Bashford Manor Handicap at Churchill Downs this afternoon. He swept over the five furlongs in 1:00 1-5. Toro's jockey could talk his mount into nothing better than second place, and Misstep stepped into third place by a neck afead of Cartago. Eight other two-year-olds also ran.

The $2 pari-mutuel tickets on Typhoon paid $8.20 to win, $4.40 to place and $3.50 to show; Toro's prices were $3.80 and $3.50 and Misstep's backers got $5 for their $2 show tickets.

Stevedores and North Shore Advance in Connaught Soccer

VANCOUVER, May 28.—Empire Stevedores, Ladysmith and North Shore United advanced to the second round of the Dominion soccer championship series on Saturday afternoon, the dockers beating St. Paul's, 2 to 1, after thirty minutes' overtime play. Ladysmith accounted for Saanich Thistles at Victoria by a 4-2 score, and North Shore win from South Hill, 2-0. The two local games did not produce any exhilarating football, all four teams showing signs of end-of-the-season play.

MORGAN PRAISES VIC'S GAMENESS

Champion Declares Foley Is Gamest Fighter He Has Ever Met — Titleholder Leaves Ring Unmarked

VANCOUVER LAD IS BADLY USED

VANCOUVER, May 28.—The champion left the ring unmarked. Foley was badly cut about the mouth and his left eye was swollen. His kidneys were welted under the fusilade of savage rights. Foley's ability to stay the route was the only solace his supporters here derived. That Morgan is his master there was no doubt.

"Foley is one of the gamest fighters I have ever seen in the ring. He stood up under gruelling punishment, never flinched and was always trying. While he was outclassed by the champion he has nothing to be ashamed of in losing the decision," stated Frank Churchill, Morgan's manager, after the milling had ceased.

BRITISH OPEN RETURNS HOME

Dr. William Tweddell Defeats D. E. Landale Seven and Six in Final Thirty-Six-Hole Match at Hoylake

RELIEVES SWEETZER OF AMATEUR CROWN

HOYLAKE, Eng., May 28.—Dr. William Tweddell's victory today in the British Amateur Golf championship will go down in golfing history as a hare and tortoise affair with Tweddell as the tortoise, who won after all the speedy hares—Wethered, Tolley and other favorites—were eliminated.

Dr. Tweddell, who defeated D. E. Landale of the Royal Liverpool Club seven and six, in their thirty-six-hole final today and succeeded to Jess Sweetzer's title, is an Englishman of thirty, who learned most of his golf in Scotland. His game is a perfect example of golfing concentration, deliberation and meticulousness, so that even the slowest of the American players seemed like comets flashing through the fairways compared to the funeral pace of Tweddell's play.

Tweddell's match with Nettleford yesterday morning required two hours for fifteen holes. Although never prominent in British golf, Tweddell twice previously reached the last sixteen in the amateur championship and has considerable of a reputation in the north of England.

CAPITOL LACROSSE TO HOLD WORKOUTS

The Capitol senior lacrosse team will hold a workout this morning at the Royal Athletic Park at 10:30 o'clock, and another on Tuesday night at 6:30 o'clock. The team to meet Seattle here next Saturday will be selected after Tuesday night's practice and a full attendance is requested.

Royal Oak Basketball

The Royal Oak School boys' basketball team played against the Craigflower School team on Friday evening at Cloverdale, the score standing 16-1 in favor of Royal Oak.

The Royal Oak boys are also in the tug-of-war finals, which will be held on June 3, at Beaver Lake grounds.

EDDIE FARRELL TAKES LEAD IN BATTING RACE

Sensational Boy Shortstop of New York Giants Climbs to Front as Leading Batter of National League

MILLER LEADER OF AMERICAN LEAGUE

"Goose" Goslin Second, Followed by Lou Gehrig—Hazen Cuyler Setting Pace for Base Stealers

CHICAGO, May 28.—Eddie Farrell, boy shortstop with the New York Giants, has climbed to the front as the leading batter of the National League.

The sensational young collegian, by consistent hitting since the start of the season, today finds himself looking down on some well-established sluggers, including the renowned Rogers Hornsby. Farrell has a mark of .412 attained in thirty-two games, in which he made forty-nine hits for a total of sixty-seven bases, having three homers and nine doubles.

Within a week Farrell raised his average from .393 as the result of getting seven hits in six games. The figures are based on games including Wednesday and are of players who participated in twenty-five or more games.

On the heels of the New Yorker is "Pie" Traynor, of Pittsburgh, who boosted his average fifty-one points from .340 to .391 and is ranking next to Farrell. Hornsby, who dropped down a week ago, boosted his mark a point during the week and has .377 for fourth place. George Harper, also of the Giants, is third with .379. The veteran "Cy" Williams, of the Phillies, by clouting the three homers, moved to the front as the leading home-run getter with a total of nine.

HORNSBY AND WILSON TIED

"Hack" Wilson and Earl Webb, of the Cubs, with Hornsby are tied with seven each.

Hazen Cuyler, fleet foot fly chaser of the Pirates, is setting a merry pace among the base-stealers with fourteen, a gain of four since a week ago. Frankie Frisch, of the Cardinals, is his closest rival with ten thefts.

The Pirates replaced the Giants in team batting with an average of .305, the Giants having dropped to second place with .300, while the Phillies continue to hold down third place with .280.

Other leading batters:

P. Waner, Pittsburgh, .360; High, Boston, .343; Wright, Pittsburgh, .341; Frisch, Cardinals, .339; Hafey, St. Louis, .339; Burrus, Boston, .338; Lindstrom, New York, .333; Southworth, St. Louis, .333.

"Bing" Miller, of St. Louis, made another threat during the week to gers plenty of worry. He continued his cause a lot of American League slugmarch, bagging seven hits in six games, and really is the leader of the league with an average of .417, although Wallie Schang, a teammate, is two points above him, although he did not appear in any games during the week.

MILLER LEADS AMERICANS

Miller performed in thirty-two games, being at bat eighty-six times and made forty hits to compile his average. Lou Gehrig, star first baseman with the Yankees, who was leading a week ago with .425, dropped down to third place with .408. "Goose" Goslin, of the Senators, returned to the game after a spell of illness, nosed ahead of Gehrig with .411. Ty Cobb is blazing the trial for the Athletics with .402, giving him fourth place among the leading swatters of the league.

Gehrig is forcing "Babe" Ruth to step a spirited pace to keep out in front in home runs. Ruth, by connecting with a pair, has a total of eleven, with Gehrig next with ten.

"Little Boy" Blue swiped one base and tied Goslin and Al Simmons, of the Athletics, who failed to add to their totals. The trio is deadlocked with seven apiece. Ruth is making it hot for Gehrig and his teammate, Combs, to keep pace with him in crossing the plate. The "big boy" has scored thirty-six times, while his two rivals both have crossed the plate thirty-four times.

There was no change in positions among the three leading clubs in team-hitting, although each suffered a falling off. New York tops the list with .305, Philadelphia is next with .302, and St. Louis third with .299.

Other leading batters:

Simmons, Philadelphia, .395; Meusel, New York, .394; Fothergill, Detroit, .391; Williams, St. Louis, .380; McCurdy, Chicago, .372; L. Sewell, Cleveland, .360; Clancey, Chicago, .355; Sisler, St. Louis, .350; Ruth, New York, .331; Speaker, Senators, .328; Collins, Philadelphia, .309.

Elizabeth Ryan Regains Middlesex County Title

CHISWICK, England, May 28.—Miss Elizabeth Ryan, of California, today regained the women's tennis championship of Middlesex County, an honor which she held in 1921 and 1925, by defeating the twenty-one-year-old British star, Miss Joan Fry, 6-0, 4-6, 6-2. Miss Fry in the semi-finals eliminated the 1926 champion, Mrs. Molla Mallory, 6-4, 6-0. Miss Ryan defeated the sixteen-year-old Miss Bessie Nuthall in the semi-finals, 6-3, 6-2.

Babe Ruth Poles Out Homer to Take Lead In Race With Gehrig

Bambino Registers Twelfth Circuit Clout With Two Men on Against Washington—Boston Splits Double-Header With Philadelphia—Detroit Win—Giants Break Losing Streak

AMERICAN LEAGUE

NEW YORK, May 29.—The Yankees and Senators broke even today, the home club taking the first game, 8-2, and Washington the second, 3-2.

Babe Ruth uncorked his twelfth homer of the year with two on base in the first game, to take the lead from Lou Gehrig, who has eleven circuit clouts.

First game—	R.	H.	E.
Washington	2	8	0
New York	8	10	0

Batteries — Thurston and Ruel; Shocker and Grabowski.

Second game—	R.	H.	E.
Washington	3	7	0
New York	2	10	1

Batteries—Marberry and Ruel; Moore and Collins.

DETROIT BEATS CHICAGO

DETROIT, May 28.—Although outhit by an advantage of three, the Detroit Tigers took the third game of the series from the Chicago White Sox today, 7-1.

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	1	11	3
Detroit	7	8	1

Batteries—Blankenship, Cole and McCurdy; Stoner and Bassler.

BOSTON WINS DOUBLE-HEADER

BOSTON, May 28.—Philadelphia won a double victory over the Red Sox today, taking both games of the double-header, 8-6 and 4-3.

First game—	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	8	13	2
Boston	6	9	1

Batteries—Ehmke, Willis and Cochrane; Lundgren, Russell and Hartley.

Second game—	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	4	8	1
Boston	3	11	1

Batteries—Quinn, Grove and Cochrane; Harris, McFayden and Hoffman, Hartley.

Cleveland-St. Louis, postponed; rain.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

BROOKLYN, May 28.—Hugh McQuillan snapped the Giants losing streak of six straight here today when he hurled New York to an easy 7-3 verdict.

	R.	H.	E.
New York	7	9	1
Brooklyn	3	8	5

Batteries—McQuillan and O'Neill; Barnes, McWeeney, Ehrhardt and Hargreaves.

PITTSBURGH MAKES IT TEN

PITTSBURGH, May 28.—Lee Meadows pitched the Pittsburgh Pirates to their tenth consecutive victory today, defeating St. Louis 6-4. The cards filled the bases in the ninth, but could score only one run.

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	4	8	1
Pittsburgh	6	9	1

Batteries—Ring and Schang; Meadows and Smith.

CINCINNATI TAKES ONE

CHICAGO, May 28.—The Cincinnati Reds hammered Blake and Roy hard today and shut out Chicago 8-0, thereby breaking their losing streak, which had run to five consecutive games.

	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	8	15	0
Chicago	0	6	3

Batteries—Donohue and Picinich; Blake, Roy and Hartnett.

PHILLIES SPLIT WITH BOSTON

PHILADELPHIA, May 28.—The Phillies divided a double bill with Boston today, the Braves taking the first, 1-0, in a pitchers' battle between Genewich and Ferguson, while the home team won the second, 8-3, by good hitting.

First game—	R.	H.	E.
Boston	1	6	1
Philadelphia	0	8	2

Batteries—Genewich, Mogridge and Hogan; Ferguson and Wilson.

Second game—	R.	H.	E.
Boston	3	8	3
Philadelphia	8	12	2

Batteries—Wertz, Hearn and Taylor; Ulrich and Wilson.

COAST LEAGUE

LOS ANGELES, May 28.—Lanky "Hank" Huivey pitched his way to a shutout victory over the league-leading Oakland Club here today and gave the Hollywood stars a 3-2 lead in the series when he turned in a 1-0 score.

	R.	H.	E.
Oakland	0	3	2
Hollywood	1	5	0

Batteries—Delaney and Bool; Hulvey and Murphy, Agnew.

SEALS GO ON "SPREE"

SEATTLE, May 28.—The San Francisco Seals went on a batting rampage to squeeze a 7-6 win from Seattle here today. After the Seals had kept an easy lead Callahan, Indian centrefielder, made the game look close by driving out a home run in the seventh, scoring Martin and Purdy.

	R.	H.	E.
San Francisco	7	15	3
Seattle	6	10	2

Batteries—May and Rego; Graham and Schmidt.

MISSIONS LOSE

SAN FRANCISCO, May 28.—The Sacramento Senators hit hard today to trounce the Missions, 7-4, and take a lead in this week's series. The Senators put over three in the seventh to take the lead after Phil Weinert had held them to a brace of counters in the preceding frames.

	R.	H.	E.
Sacramento	7	11	3
Missions	4	10	2

Batteries—Shea and Koehler; Weinert and Walters.

Los Angeles-Portland; rain.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Syracuse 9-2, Buffalo 10-8.
Rochester 1-2, Toronto 5-13.
Reading 1-1, Newark 2-6.
Baltimore 4-9, Jersey City 10-6.

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New York	20	15	.571
St. Louis	18	16	.529
Philadelphia	16	18	.471
Brooklyn	17	22	.435
Boston	13	17	.433
Cincinnati	13	26	.316

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	24	13	.649
Chicago	22	18	.600
Philadelphia	20	17	.541
Washington	17	17	.500
Cleveland	18	20	.474
St. Louis	17	19	.472
Detroit	16	20	.444
Boston	10	22	.202

COAST LEAGUE

	W	L.	Pct.
Oakland	36	24	.600
Missions	31	26	.525
Sacramento	31	26	.525
San Francisco	31	29	.517
Seattle	26	29	.491
Portland	28	29	.491
Los Angeles	26	31	.456
Hollywood	22	35	.386

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L.	Pct.
Syracuse	29	13	.690
Baltimore	25	16	.610
Toronto	26	17	.605
Buffalo	23	17	.575
Rochester	18	19	.486
Jersey City	18	19	.486
Newark	18	23	.439
Reading	13	26	.333

TWENTY-FIVE TO START IN DERBY

Lord Astor's Double Barrel Scratched—Sickle's Injury Causes Anxiety—Race Next Wednesday

LONDON, May 28.—Rumors concerning the condition of Lord Derby's colt Sickle, the Derby favorite, have caused much anxiety during the past few days. Today F. Butters, Sickle's trainer, stated that Sickle had a thickening of a tendon caused by a blow and consequently was not exercised this morning. The leg, however, is now perfectly normal, he said.

The probable starters were reduced to twenty-five today when Lord Astor's Double Barrel was scratched.

AWNINGS

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Sparks and Wenman Make Big First Wicket Total

Double Opponents' Score Off Their Own Bats in Cricket Match Between Incogs and Two C's—Garrison Defeat Cowichan and Albions Take Points From the Five C's

The University Incogs, the Garrison and the Albions were the winners of yesterday's Virtue Cup cricket matches. The University Incogs defeated the Two C's by 202 to 63, the Garrison won from Cowichan by 156 to 111, and the Albions took their points at the expense of the Five C's in a low-scoring game, 84 to 62.

The very decisive victory of the Incogs was due very largely to the fine batting of R. A. Sparks and R. Wenman, who went in first and just doubled the Two C's score between them. R. Tye also played a very good innings for 32. Sparks and Wenman also did the major part of the work with the ball.

The Garrison batsmen proved in rare form and nearly all of them made quite respectable scores, the highest individual score being that of Watson, who totaled 29. A feature of the match was the excellent bowling of Crosland for Cowichan. He took six wickets for thirty-six runs, a very fine performance against a strong batting side. Wilkinson was the most successful Garrison bowler, though Cobbett took three very valuable wickets.

The bowlers had matters very much their own way in the batch between the Albions and Five C's at Beacon Hill. Only two of the Five C's batsmen managed to reach double figures, Thompson and Attwell, and only three of the Albions, Lethaby, Hoggarth and Clock. The scores follow:

TWO C'S

B. Craddock, c Sparks, b R. Wenman	1
P. E. Wilkinson, b Sparks	0
W. H. Pendray, b Sparks	0
H. Edwards, c J. Wenman, b R. Wenman	3
E. H. Pendray, c Martin, b Sparks	6
G. Heineker, c and b R. Wenman	1
C. Sutton, b Sparks	0
J. E. Barnett, c Allen, b Howden	7
E. Cox, lbw, b Sparks	17
W. M. Sutton, c Sparks, b Howden	18
L. Vaughan, not out	4
Extras	6
Total	63

UNIVERSITY INCOGS

R. A. Sparks, b E. H. Pendray	70
R. Wenman, c Craddock, b E. H. Pendray	56
H. H. Allen, run out	11
J. Wenman, not out	7
R. H. Tye, c E. H. Pendray, b W. H. Pendray	32
B. S. H. Tye, c E. H. Pendray, b W. H. Pendray	0
R. E. Jackson, b E. H. Pendray	7
J. Burden, b W. H. Pendray	4
T. Walton, b E. H. Pendray	4
L. P. Martin and P. F. Howden did not bat.	
Extras	11
Total, for eight wkts.	202

BOWLING ANALYSIS

Two C's	O.	W.	R.
E. A. Sparks	16.2	5	27
R. Wenman	7	3	12
P. F. Howden	5	2	12
H. H. Allen	2	0	4
Incogs.	O	W	R.
W. H. Pendray	12	3	70
E. H. Pendray	12.4	4	58
C. Sutton	2	0	22
W. M. Sutton	1	0	9
E. Cox	1	0	14
G. Heineker	1	0	26

GARRISON

R. A. Willcox, b Crosland	13
F. L. Watson, c Scott, b Crosland	29
R. H. Pooley, lbw, b Carr-Hilton	23
Major Cobbett, b Scott	22
M. Farrar, b Crosland	26
G. Wilkinson, c Lezzatt, b Gravett	7
H. Stevens, c Gravett, b Crosland	3
H. Stevens, c Gravett, b Crosland	3
K. R. Crais, c Barnett, b Crosland	16
R. Styles, c Coppman, b Crosland	4
S. Hawkes, b Scott	0
H. W. Pauline, not out	1
Extras	10
Total	156

COWICHAN

S. Crosland, b Wilkinson	4
J. W. Copeman, c and b Cobbett	0
J. A. Gravett, stpd Watson, b Cobbett	34
E. W. Carr-Hilton, b Wilkinson	16
D. Scott, c Cobbett, b Wilkinson	6
J. Wilson, b Cobbett	6
A. K. S. Lezzatt, b Wilkinson	24
D. V. Dunlop, run out	7
H. Charter, b Wilkinson	0
E. J. Barnett, b Wilkinson	0
J. Moulson, not out	1
Extras	8
Total	111

BOWLING ANALYSIS

Garrison	O	W.	R.
J. A. Gravett	6	1	32
S. J. Crosland	9	6	26
D. Scott	7	2	29
D. V. Dunlop	2	0	10
E. W. Carr-Hilton	3	1	21
J. Wilson	2	0	6
Cowichan	O	W	R.
G. Wilkinson	11	6	43
H. B. N. Cobbett	11	3	52
H. Stevens	2	0	7

FIVE C'S

Wilson, c Clock, b Hoggarth	2
Galt, lbw, b Hoggarth	6
Thompson, c Pite, b Jordan	16
Hayward, c McIlmoyle, b Hoggarth	6
Muncy, c Pite, b Hoggarth	1
Butterworth, b Hoggarth	2
Hurn, c Lethaby, b Jordan	3
Pillar, b Hoggarth	5
Attwell, c and b Hoggarth	13
Gann, c and b Hoggarth	6
G. Payne, not out	1
Extras	4
Total	62

ALBIONS

H. Lethaby, c Muncy, b Hayward	22
C. McIlmoyle, b Attwell	4
L. Parson, c and b Thompson	8
T. Hoggarth, c Butterworth, b Attwell	21
A. Adams, lbw, b Hurn	0
E. Freeman, c Butterworth, b Attwell	0
S. Barclay, c Muncy, b Attwell	3
S. Clock, not out	19
F. Jordan, c Muncy, b Hayward	2
N. Pite, lbw, b Attwell	0
G. Hope, b Hurn	4
Extras	1
Total	84

BOWLING ANALYSIS

Five C's	O.	W.	R.
Jordan	12	3	29
Hoggarth	12	7	28
Albions	O.	W.	R.
Attwell	14	5	31
Thompson	7	1	15
Hurn	5	2	22
Hayward	3	2	14

OLD BOYS SHOW CRICKET SKILL

MAKE GOOD FIGHT AGAINST VICTORIA CLUB AT JUBILEE HOSPITAL

Are on Short End of Score of 153 to 116—Saxton-White Does Some Damage

Although they did not succeed in winning, the British Public Schools Club cricketers gave an excellent account of themselves in their match with Victoria C.C. at the Jubilee Hospital grounds yesterday. The Victoria eleven won by 37 runs, 153 to 116. Bleasdale, Morgan, Wallace and McInnis all batted well for the winners, and Grant, Cantrell and Barber-Starkey divided the wickets evenly. Pisani, Martin and Saxton-White batted well for the losers. The latter in his knock, which produced 21, hit two fours and two sixes. He also had the misfortune to break a car's windshield when he hit his last six. Morgan bowled well, but did not have the best of luck. Brien proved very deadly with his lob bowling. The catch made by F. Richardson, an old Harrovian, at cover-point to dismiss Wallace was a brilliant piece of fielding.

The thanks of all are due to Mrs. Parker and Mrs. Saxton-White for their hospitality in providing tea for all the players and guests. The score follows:

VICTORIA C. C.

R. A. Phillips, b Cantrell	12
H. Bleasdale, b Grant	21
A. Booth, b Cantrell	7
J. P. Phillips, run out	7
F. H. Allwood, b Grant	15
J. B. Morgan, b Barber-Starkey	31
N. Wilkinson, l b w, b Grant	2
J. Wallace, c Richardson, b Barber-Starkey	25
E. Verrall, b Barber-Starkey	0
R. McInnis, not out	24
T. Brien, c Grant, b Cantrell	5
Extras	4
Total	153

BRITISH PUBLIC SCHOOLS

R. H. Meadus, c Bleasdale, b Morgan	0
N. L. Pisani, c Booth, b Morgan	28
E. G. Cantrell, b Brien	2
F. Barber-Starkey, c Allwood, b Brien	2
F. Saxton-White, b Brien	21
J. Middleton, b Brien	6
G. C. Grant, b Brien	7
M. Martin, b Morgan	42
L. A. Gurney, b Wallace	1
F. Richardson, c McInnis, b Allwood	6
J. H. Waddell, not out	0
Extras	1
Total	116

BOWLING ANALYSIS

Victoria C. C.—	O	W.	R.
G. C. Grant	11	2	43
E. G. Cantrell	6	2	44
F. Barber-Starkey	7	3	43
F. Saxton-White	2	0	19
British Public Schools—	O	W	R.
J. B. Morgan	15	3	35
T. Brien	6	5	64
J. Wallace	2	1	6
E. Verrall	3	0	10
F. H. Allwood	1	1	0

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College Athlete Sets New Record For Pole Vault

PHILADELPHIA, May 28.—Sabin Carr, of Yale, broke the world's record for the pole vault this afternoon at the intercollegiate track and field championships by soaring over the bar at fourteen feet.

FIVE VESSELS CROSS IN RACE

Winner of Hathaway Cup Event From Seattle to Victoria Yacht Club Will Be Decided in Sound City

LOCAL CLUB HOLDS TWO CUP EVENTS

Five Seattle power cruisers, Sueja, Captain James Griffiths; Plue Peter, John Grahame; Mr. Blanshard's and Mr. Berg's boats and the Janava, which took part in the Hathaway Cup race from the Sound city to the Royal Victoria Yacht Club, Cadboro Bay, arrived here yesterday afternoon after a splendid trip across. The boats left Seattle at different times yesterday morning and the winners will be decided by the motorboat committee of the Seattle Yacht Club.

Some of the boats were greatly within the time limit of 5 p.m., one arriving at 4:15 p.m., and a couple well before 5 p.m. It is understood the prize rests between the boats of Mr. Blanshard and Mr. Berg, although no definite ruling was available from local officials of the club.

Four sailing vessels had an enjoyable trip over. The Gwendolyn I, Imp, Sinbad and Gazeka left Seattle Friday night at 8 o'clock for a cruise and dropped anchor at the local club.

G. F. Dick's Asthore was the winner of the club fixture for power boats over a seven-mile course. N. P. Blandy's Lady Joy was second. Other entrants included the Fayth, Dorothy, Truant and Moira.

In the dinghy class race over a four-mile course, the Boykin, sailed by W. N. Hotham, crossed the line a winner, followed by Catboat, guided by Andrew Wright, and Puffin, sailed by 'Ginger Hotham' in second and third places respectively. There were five entries.

Last night visiting yachtsmen were the guests of the Royal Victoria Yacht Club at an informal dance.

TILDEN FAVORED TO WIN TENNIS

Is Only Survivor in International Tournament — Borotra, Lacoste and Cochet Remain

FRANCIS HUNTER LOSES HARD GAME

ST. CLOUD, May 28.—All the outstanding favorites survived the first week's play in the international hard court tennis championships, with "Big Bill" Tilden still the popular choice to win the men's singles. Even the French experts pick Tilden, although Borotra, Lacoste and Cochet, France's big three, remained in the tournament.

Tilden is the only American left in the singles competition, Francis Hunter being eliminated today, losing a hard five-set match to P. D. B. Spence, South Africa, 3-6, 2-6, 6-1, 6-3, 6-2.

Tilden also figured in a victory in the mixed doubles today paired with Senorita D'Alvarez of Spain. He helped greatly in eliminating Mlle. Rosenbaum and M. Guillemot of France, 6-2, 6-3.

In the women's singles, the playing of Fraulein Cecille Aussem, eighteen-year-old German, has been the week's principal feature.

CANADIANS FACE EAGLES TOMORROW

Parfitt Will Work on Mound for Sons in Senior Amateur Ball Game at Royal Athletic Park

The Eagles and the Sons of Canada senior amateur baseball aggregations will provide the twilight attraction at the Royal Athletic Park tomorrow. The game will commence at 6:15 o'clock.

Manager Bobby Ross of the Birdmen will start either Howe or Pollard on the mound. Customers at the ball park will remember Howe as the big boy who pitched his first game here against the Travelers in the early part of the season, and after meeting with trouble was yanked in the second inning.

He has been working out regularly since that date and has his benders working to perfection. Pollard, the other choice for the heavy work, is an ex-Commercial League chucker.

Cy Milne has signified his intention of using Parfitt against the Birdmen. Ray has been doing some good heaving this season and tomorrow he will be out to stop the feathered tribe.

Display Wins Toronto Handicap Race by Head

TORONTO, May 28.—Under a fine ride by Jockey Scaefer, W. J. Salmon's Display won the Toronto Cup Handicap, $15,000 added, after a wonderful stretch duel, at Woodbine track this afternoon. Display won by a head from Ruskin and Harry Baker was third. Singlefoot was fourth. The winner paid $5.15 on a $2 ticket.

Wins Single Sculls

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 28.—Joe Wright, jr., of the Argonaut Rowing Club, Toronto, captured first honors in the American Henley regatta this afternoon, when he rowed to victory in the single sculls. Robert Agnew, Undine of Philadelphia, second; Ken Myers, Bachelors of Philadelphia, third. Wright's time was 7:39 4-5.

Entry List Grows for Colonist Bicycle Race

Victoria's Crack Riders Making Ready for Big Annual Event—Two of Vancouver's Best Already Listed as Starters—Charlie Staples Will Be Out to Capture Cup for Third Time

Interest in The Daily Colonist's fifth annual bicycle race, which takes place on the evening of Friday, June 10, is rapidly growing, and a large number of speed kings will be found in the front line when the pistol starts the competitors in action.

The Victoria Daily Colonist, which staged this annual bicycle race for the first time five years ago, is promoting this competition in the interests of cycling and to further clean, healthy sport among young men and boys.

The following entries have been received to date: F. W. Rose, Stan Brook, Bill Peden, Jim Davies (Vancouver), E. P. Porter, Stan Jackson, Jack McPhee, Caesar Finnimore, Ernie Peden, Bryce Blake, Tom Coventry, Orville Regan, Les Smith, and Harold Davies (Vancouver). Several other Vancouver riders have signified their intention of being here for the big event.

Everything is being done by the local bicycle dealers to encourage the youngsters. Class "E" riders, thirteen years and under, usually number about eight or nine, but this year the dealers hope to raise the entries to about fifteen. Last year all the young riders finished and made excellent time.

FIVE CLASSES

The riders, as last year, will be divided into five classes, which gives every rider a chance for a prize. The riders in every class have a chance of winning The Colonist Cup, as it goes to the rider making the best time over the course. The rider making the best time for three years will have the honor of holding the massive solid silver trophy. Charlie Staples has won the cup twice. He is expected to appear again this year.

The officials are anxious that every rider shall have a fair chance, and for this reason reserve the right of placing riders of racing bicycles in a higher class than according to age. The first two classes, "A" and "B," must carry amateur cards, which can be obtained from Mr. W. S. Maguire, at the Y.M.C.A.

The course is as follows: Start on Quadra Street at King's Road via Hillside Avenue and Douglas Street to Glanford Avenue, to Saanich Health Centre, and returning by Saanich Road and Quadra Street to place of starting. The distance is approximately eight miles.

The classes are as follows:

Class "A" riders, over the age of sixteen using racing bicycles.

Class "B" riders, over the age of sixteen using roadster bicycles.

Class "C" riders, under the age of sixteen.

Class "D" riders, under the age of fourteen.

Class "E" riders, under the age of thirteen.

Entry forms can be obtained from all local bicycle dealers; also from Alex. T. Stewart, Colonist office. All entries must be at the office not later than 6 p.m., June 7.

CHAMPIONSHIP WON BY NANAIMO

Defeat New Westminster Royals Six to Two in Final—Islanders Complete Masters Throughout

VANCOUVER, May 28.—Nanaimo City are champions of the First Division of the Pacific Coast Soccer League. They won that honor this evening at the Athletic Park when they defeated Westminster Royals 6 goals to 2 in the second game of the play-off series. The first game, played in Nanaimo last week, ended in a 1-1 draw, so that the Islanders won the series by 7 goals to 3.

Nanaimo were complete masters of the situation throughout and were deservedly winners. They netted three goals in the first fifteen minutes as a result of clever football. Cowie got the first in three minutes, followed with a second five minutes later, and Sandiland secured the third in another seven minutes. Simington got one for the Royals in three more minutes, but Cowie scored again for the City seventeen minutes later. At half-time the score was 4-1 in Nanaimo's favor.

Inside two minutes of the second half Clarke scored Nanaimo's fifth goal. With but ten minutes to go McDougall got the Royals' second goal. Cowie for Nanaimo came right back with his own fourth counter, and his team's sixth goal, three minutes before the final whistle.

Call Boy Now Favorite Over Sickle for Derby

LINGFIELD, England, May 28.—National betting lists on the Derby were reversed in betting on the course at Lingfield Park this afternoon, Call Boy being favorite over Sickle. A bet of $1,500 on Call Boy to $6,000 against was made. Sickle was backed at 6 to 1. Hot Night was backed at 7 to 1 against, while Moneymaker was at 100 to 7.

Junior Cricket Team

The following are selected to play for the T. & V. junior cricket team against University School tomorrow afternoon on the school grounds: N. Florence, D. Laird, N. Morgan, E. Morgan, T. Brien (captain), D. Warder, C. Lefevre, L. Wallace, J. Payne, G. Payne and J. Proby.

Harvard Defeats Cornell

ITHACA, N.Y., May 28.—Harvard defeated Cornell in the Varsity event of their dual regatta here this evening on Lake Cayuga. Cornell won the junior race. The times: Varsity—Harvard, 11:07; Cornell, 11:16. Junior Varsity—Cornell, 11:16 2-5; Harvard, 11:17 3-5.

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BIG GAME HUNTER IS COMING TO B.C.

Belgian Who Braved Tropic Sun and Heat Without Sun Helmet or Quinine on Way West

MONTREAL, May 28.—A big game hunter who dispenses with quinine and the conventional solar helmet for protection against malaria and the sun in tropical countries, and who also does his hunting unaccompanied by any other white man, is Marcel Sedille-Courbon, of Brussels, an arrival on the Canadian Pacific steamer Montnairn, who was interviewed at the tourist offices of the Canadian Pacific Railway. This is his first visit to Canada, where he proposes to shoot grizzly and other big game in Northern British Columbia in the Fall.

About two years ago he went out to the Belgian Congo and penetrated fifteen days' journey into the wilds of that region, meeting tribes who had never before seen a white man. He gave up quinine because it brought on tremors which interfered with his markmanship, while he found the solor helmet too heavy. Lacking both, he suffered no ill effects either from illness or from want of protection from the sun. His bag consisted of three elephants, a buffalo and a rhinoceros, leopards, seventeen crocodiles and three pythons. After shooting the buffalo, he stalked it and was nearly killed when it charged him, a stroke from its horns smashing his rifle.

Mr. Sedille-Courbon has another feather in his cap in the fact that he is one of the thirteen men who have guided a bob-sled in the difficult and dangerous Cresta run at St. Moritz, which he visits every January. His aim at the present time is to go by slow stages to the west of Canada, where he will spend the Summer months on a cattle ranch doing the hard work of the ranch like an ordinary laborer. He will then go big game hunting in Northern British Columbia and Alaska, and will return via San Francisco, Los Angeles and Mexico to Brussels, arriving their around Christmas. He will then go by sailing ship to Spitzbergen, where it is his intention to shoot polar bears.

General Membership Of Chamber to Hold Meeting on Tuesday

The annual general membership meeting of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce will be held on Tuesday night at 8 o'clock in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium. Mr. Roger D. Pinneo, industrial adviser to the City of Victoria, will be the chief speaker of the evening.

President C. P. W. Schwengers will present his annual report. Amendments to the constitution will be discussed. The financial statement for the past twelve months shows a small balance on hand.

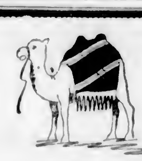
A MATTER FOR SYMPATHY

Tim: Sarer Smith (you know 'er—Bill's missus) she throwed herself horf the end uv the wharf larst night.

Tom: Orf the end uv the wharf? Poor Sarer!

Tim: An' a cop fished 'er out again.

Tom: Poor Bill!



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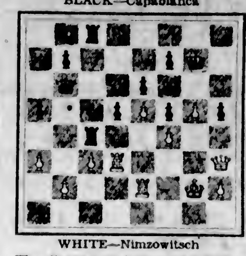

WHITE—Nimzowitsch

The diagram and moves are the end of the game which follows.

The Queen and Rook ending which ensues is played by Black with the most beautiful precision. An important governing consideration is that White dare not seek a general exchange of pieces, because Black would immediately block the Queen's side by ....., P Q R 5, after which the White King would inevitably lose the "opposition." Handicapped by this limitation, White receives a lesson on "the inevitability of gradualness."

WHITE	BLACK
32. Q B 3	32. K N 3

If 32. Q x P; 34....., R R 1; 35....., R R 5.

33. K R Q 2	33. R K 5
34. R Q 4	34. R B 5
35. Q B 2	35. Q N 4 !
36. K N 3	36. R (B 5) x R
37. P x R	37. Q B 5
38. K N 2	38. P N 4
39. K N 1	39. P N 5
40. P x P	40. P x P
41. K N 2	41. Q B 8
42. K N 3	42. Q K R 8
43. R Q 3	43. R K 8
44. R K B 3	44. R Q 8
45. P N 3	45. R Q B 8
46. R K 3	46. R K B 8

White resigns.

The following game from the G. M. tourney is taken from The B. C. M., whose notes are quoted in full owing to their educational value.

WHITE Nimzowitsch	BLACK Capablanca
1. P K 4	1. P Q B 3
2. P Q 4	2. P Q 4
3. P K 5	3. B B 4
4. B Q 3	4. B x B
5. Q x B	5. P K 3
6. N Q B 3	6. Q N 3
7. K N K 2	7. P Q B 4

After's White's last, Nimzowitsch's own recipe 7....., Q R 3 would have no point, as White would not be prevented Castling after his Queen had moved.

8. P x P	8. B x P
9. Castles	9. N K 2
10. N R 4	10. Q B 3
11. N x B	11. Q x N
12. B K 3	12. Q B 2
13. P K B 4	13. N B 4
14. P B 3	14. N B 3
15. Q R Q 1	15. P K N 3 !

The precautionary measure which baffles the intended attack.

16. P K N 4	16. N x B

As Black has left himself rather weak on squares of his own color, it would have been prudent to retain White's Bishop by 16. B B 2.

17. Q x N	17. P K R 4
18. P N 5	18. Castles K R
19. N Q 4	19. Q N 3
20. R B 2	20. K R B 1
21. P Q R 3	21. R B 2
22. R Q 3	22. N R 4
23. R K 2	23. R K 1

White wants to play P B 5, followed, if....., N P x P, by P N 6, and get the Q amongst Black's Kings' side Pawns; but it is necessary to defend the K P adequately first. Black's reply means that he will (if P B 5) capture with the K P and then double Rook on the King's file. This virtually puts a stop to the plan.

24. K N 2	24. N B 3
25. K R Q 2	25. Q R Q B 1
26. R K 2	26. N K 2
27. K R Q 2	27. R B 5
28. Q R 3	28. K N 2
29. R K B 2	29. P R 4 !
30. R K 2	30. N B 4
31. N x N	31. N P x N

White does not like the prospect of 31. K R Q 2, N x N; 32. R x N, R x R; 33. P x R, Q N 4, with....., R B 8 to follow.

The remaining moves are with the diagram at the head of the column.

Our next illustrates the swift condign punishment of a grand master for a slight deviation from the straight and narrow path of strategical rectitude.

WHITE Dr. Vidmar	BLACK Nimzowitsch
1. P Q 4	1. N K B 3
2. N K B 3	2. P K 3
3. P K N 3	3. P Q 4
4. B N 2	4. Q N Q 2
5. Castles	5. B Q 3
6. P Q N 3	6. P B 3
7. Q N Q 2	7. Castles
8. B N 2	8. Q K 2

Black hoped to get in 9....., P K 4, but 8....., R K 1 would have been a better attempt as enabling him afterwards to play....., N B 1 or B B 1 at choice.

9. P B 4	9. P Q N 4 ?

Black is too bold in view of White's command of the centre diagonal.

10. N K 5 !.	10. B x N

If 10....., B N 2; 11. P K 4 threatening 12. N x B P; 13. P K 5.

11. P x B	11. N N 5
12. P K 4 !	12. K N x K P
13. K P x P	13. K P x P
14. P x Q P	14. P x P
15. B x P	15. R N 1
16. R K 1	16. Q Q 3
17. N B 3	17. N x N ch

Far stronger than 17. N K 4, which would take the pressure off Black's Knight.

18. Q x N	18. K R 1

If 18....., N moves 19. B K 5, and moving the Q lets in R K 7. The consequences of his ninth move are tragic.

19. Q R B 1	19. R N 3
20. R x B !	20. R x R
21. Q x B P	21. Q K N 3
22. Q x N	Black resigns

He can only play 22....., Q R N 1 (to avoid 23. R K 8 ch R x R; 24. B x P ch, Q x B; 25. Q x R ch and mates next move), White answers 22...., Q R N 1 by 23. R K 8 and Black has no resource.

Our notes are by J. H. Blake, analyst of The B. C. M.

A Giuco Piano follows. M. C. O. says: "In this classical opening, favored by the early Italian players, the principles underlying correct development in the open game still find their best illustrations. Modern innovations have so extended its scope that it now ranges in fine gradations of style from the pianissimo to the Evans' Gambit and the impetuous Max Lange."

WHITE	BLACK
1. P K 4	1. P K 4
2. B B 4	2. N Q B 3
3. N K B 3	3. N B 3
4. P Q 4	4. P x P
5. Castles	5. N x P
6. R K 1	6. P Q 4
7. B x P	7. Q x B
8. N B 3	8. Q Q 1
9. R x N ch	9. B K 2
10. N x P	10. P B 4 !
11. B R 6 !	11. P x B
12. Q R 5 ch	12. K B 1
13. N x P	13. B x N
14. Q x B ch	14. B B 3
15. R Q 1	Black resigns.

CHESS NEWS AND NOTES

England—Southern Counties Chess Union—A forty-two-board match between Middlesex and Herts resulted in a win for the former by 30½ to 11½. On the first sixteen boards counting for the championship Middlesex won by 11½ to 4½. The Middlesex championship has reached its final stages, and the following five players will contest a tournament of each playing one game with every other: Victor Buerger, Goldstein, Griffith, Jesty, and West. Many strong players fell by the wayside in the preliminary knock-out tournament. A stimulating example of enthusiasm is recorded by The B. C. M. that the first team of the Wolverhamption C. C. played in 157 matches in eight years, and not a single game was lost by default, despite the fact that nine out of ten matches involved twenty-six miles of traveling in each match. A more general use of chess clocks in order to speed up the game was urged at the annual dinner of the London Commercial Chess League.

Boys' Tournament at Hastings—Rowson (St. Paul's School) won first prize. The entries were sixteen.

Scarborough Chess Festival—Bogoljubow, Yates, Colle, Bernstein, Kahn and Bertrant have been invited. Play begins June 4 and ends on June 11. Sir Geo. Thomas has entered.

The B. C. M., reviewing an attempt at the psycho-analysis of the chess brain by three professors of psychology in Moscow, says: "Briefly, the authors have come to the conclusion that the much admired (though sometimes among laymen and laywomen despised) memory of the chess master is nothing more than an instance of well developed 'professional' brain, like that of the mathematician or scholar. The powers of concentration and combination are a matter of training and practice. As for imagination, a wealth of it is rather an obstacle to sound play."

Bonar Law, in his eloquent speech of welcome to the competitors in the London 1922 tournament, said "What were the qualities necessary for successful chess-playing? The power of looking ahead and seeing farther than one's opponent, concentration as great, if not greater, than in any other human occupation; it required also, and no great chess player was without it, a great deal of imagination, an even balance of the faculties, a strong judgment to separate the true from the apparently true, also a delicate sense of perception with creative power, and a strong morale."

The great statesman was a member of the London C.C., a strong player, and Capablanca was his guest. Alechin, Vidmar, Rubenstein, Bogoljubow and Reti, of the Grand Masters' Union, were profoundly impressed by the New Brunswicker's analysis.

New Zealand—Wellington has won the club championship of the Dominion, beating Canterbury, 5-4; Otago, 6½-5½, and Auckland, 6½-5½. Wellington have now won thrice and Auckland twice.

South Africa—A Cameron has again won the Cape Town championship.

Straits Settlements—The Singapore C.C. has a vigorous membership, including both English and Chinese. McLean won the 1926 tourney, with Colman runner-up, both formerly of Cambridge University. The club sent £5 to the London Congress.

France—The final placings in the club championship of Paris were: Echecs de Lutece, 23; Palais Royal, 20; Fou du Roi, 18; Philidor, 14; Rive Gauche, 9½; British C.C., 5½. Teams were six aside. Games, not match results decided.

Victoria Chess Club — Visiting chessists will receive the customary courtesies of chess clubs at the new room of the V.C.C. in the Mahon Building, next to Royal Bank of Canada. Committee, T. H. Piper, K. Patrick, W. Dickenson.

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Auction Bridge Analyzed

By WYNNE FERGUSON
Author of the Authoritative Book, "Auction Bridge for 1926."

Business Doubles in "Contract" Should Be Made When Opportunity Offers

The fact that the bonus for each game is 200 points at contract and the rubber bonus 300 points, makes a game and the rubber much more valuable than at regular auction. As a result, a game in contract is easily worth 400 points and the rubber game 700 points, so that the question of justifiable penalties at contract is a very different one from regular auction.

If a game is worth 400 points, it follows that it is good business to take a loss of 300 points to save it; and if it is the rubber game, a loss of 500 or 600 points is also justifiable. By referring back to the table of penalties given in the first article, you will note that the penalties when doubled are 100 points for each of the first three tricks, 200 points for the fourth trick and 400 points for each subsequent trick. If you are doubled, therefore, and go down four tricks, the penalty is 500 points, and if you go down five tricks, the penalty is 900 points.

These large penalties should be thoroughly understood before a player decides to take a penalty to save a possible game or rubber. It should also be noted that when a side is "vulnerable," these penalties are doubled. Be careful, therefore, to consider all of these facts and the possible loss before you make a bid that you know cannot be made.

The other side of the picture shows up when you have a big hand and your opponents are clearly overbidding. Then the question arises, what is the value of a game or the rubber, when a player is sure he can win either. A player should not consider giving up a game for a penalty of less than 400 points or a rubber game for a penalty of less than 700 points. The question as to whether the overbidders are "vulnerable" should always be considered for the penalties are then doubled.

Justifiable overbidding in auction can be reduced to an exact mathematical question, but in contract this exactitude is not possible. Overbidding is bound to be much greater at contract than at regular auction because the game and rubber values, to say nothing of slams, are so great that players are tempted to over-reach themselves far more often. The best advice to follow is to take the game very conservatively until you become more familiar with it and then only overbid when the price you may have to pay is more than offset by the possible gain.

Business doubles at contract should be made whenever the opportunity offers, and these opportunities arise far more often than at regular auction because of the constant high bidding required to make the game. Be on the look-out for chances to double, and, when they show up, don't hesitate to take advantage of the opportunity.

The following test hands cover points involving justifiable overbidding and business doubles. Compare your opinion with the analysis that will be given in the next article.

Hand No. 1

Y
A B
Z

h—A Q J 10 8 4 2
c—10 9 2
d—K 5
s—4

Rubber game, no score. Z dealt and bid three hearts, A bid three spades, Y bid four hearts and B bid four spades. Should Z pass or bid five hearts?

Hand No. 2

Y
A B
Z

h—K Q 10 7 6 4 2
c—A 8 2
d—None
s—J 6 2

No score, Y Z a game in. Z dealt and bid three hearts, A bid four clubs, Y bid four hearts and B bid five clubs. Should Z bid five hearts, double or pass?

Hand No. 3

h—J 7
c—A J 7 3
d—Q 7 6 2
s—A J 8

Y
A B
Z

No score, first game. Z dealt and bid one heart. If A bid one no trump, what should Y do? Should he double one no trump or pass?

The following test hands were given in the preceding article, and the analysis is as follows:

Bid of Five Spades Would Have Made Big Difference

Test Hand No. 1

Y
A B
Z

h—A 5
c—J 7
d—A 6
s—A K Q 7 6 3 2

Rubber game, no score. Z dealt and bid three spades. A passed and Y bid four spades. If B passed, what should Z do? Should he try for a slam or should he pass and be content with a certain game and rubber?

Z should pass and not try for a little slam. He has four possible losing tricks in his hand his partner's raise cannot account for more than two of these. For that reason Z should pass and be content with his game and rubber. If Y had bid five spades, instead of four, Z would have been justified in trying for the little slam, but not otherwise.

Test Hand No. 2

h—A K 7
c—A K Q 6
d—9 8 7 5
s—K 6

Y
A B
Z

No score, rubber game. Z dealt and bid one diamond. A bid one spade and Y bid three no trump. B passed and Z bid four hearts. If A passed, what should Y now do?

Y should certainly try for the little slam as it seems a certainty that the only trick that he can lose is the ace of spades. With a strong hand of this type don't hesitate to bid six. The resultant bonus for the little slam and the strong chance of making it more than offset the slight chance of losing the bid.

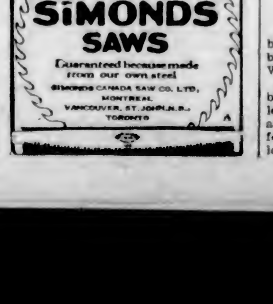
Test Hand No. 3

Y
A B
Z

h—A J 10 9 7
c—A K Q J 7 3
d—8
s—7

Rubber game, no score. Z dealt and bid one heart. A bid one spade. Y bid four hearts and B bid four spades. What should Z now bid?

Z should bid six hearts. Y's jump bid indicates a long heart suit and at least one outside trick, probably the ace of diamonds. It would seem, therefore, that the only tricks that Y Z can lose is one spade trick.



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Vancouver Island News

QUEEN MARGARET BEGINS HER REIGN

Happy Feature Is Carried Out at Duncan for Consolidated School—Many Participate

MAY DAY FROLIC IS GREAT SUCCESS

DUNCAN, May 28.—Miss Margaret Bailey was crowned Queen of the May at the annual May Day sports held here by the Duncan Consolidated School. It was a most pleasing and picturesque ceremony throughout.

Queen Margaret was escorted to the royal throne by Mayor Mutter, while ex-Queen Doreen Scholes was escorted by Mr. C. F. Davie, M.P.P., and the royal attendants included two pages, Hubert Brown and Desire Morin; the Misses Mabel Owen, Catherine Havens, Lillie Olsen and Una Fletcher, as maids of honor to Queen Margaret, and Miss Ethel Castley as lady-in-waiting, together with Misses Dorothea Baker, Irene Pilkington, Kathleen MacDonald and Josephine Jackson, maids of honor to ex-Queen Doreen, and the following acted as flower girls: Aileen Stannard, Eileen Johnson, Margaret Murdock, Thelma Churchill, Dorothy Fielden, Mary Blair, Mary Cummins, Mary Pilkington, May Compton-Laundie, Lenora Jennings, Eileen Langlois, Helen Guns, Helene Auchinachie, Kathleen McIvor, Dorothy Owen, Mildred Watkinson.

PRINCIPAL PRESIDES

Mr. C. A. Stewart, principal of the Duncan Consolidated School, acted as chairman, and short speeches were given by Mayor Mutter and Mr. C. F. Davie. Following the ceremony of the crowning of the May Queen, the Swedish polka and the Maypole dances were given. Those taking part were: Swedish polka, Vera Day, Lloyd Olmstead, Florence Evans, Donnie Dunkeld, Laurel Colk, Bertram Thorpe, Marjorie Wallace, Bobbie Dobson, Eileen Ford, Vernon Grassie, Muriel Williams, Arthur Mellin, Janie Wilkins, Bert Kyle, Doris Fox, Ronald Kolterman, Verna Richmond, Billy Glanfield, Agnes Russell Merlin Woodward, Isola Campbell, Jackie Wallace, Stella Stannard, Drew Lauder, Margaret West, Bobbie Weismiller, Viola Wade, James LeQuesne, Beryl Smith, John Wilkins, Lilly Ho, Clement Pettit, Millicent Fox, Jack Vidal, Shirley Gooding, Leonard Thorpe, Janet Buckham, Martin Olmstead, Miyoko Magano, Lester Halling, Roberta Evans, Francis Potts, Rosie Allard, Herman Mayea, Joan Holmes, Stanley Kirkham, Margaret Wright, Malcolm Aitken, Rosa Hansen, Billy Jaynes, Phyllis Weismiller, Herbert Buckham, Tomea Toyoda, Jimmy Lemon, Sheila Meyers, Douglas Jennings, Tusigh Kawahara, Cecil Clark, Jean Aitken, Bertie Parker, Sheila Saunders, Arthur Moore, Peggy Luck, Fred Colk, Yvonne Bonsal, Gregor Mackenzie, Kathleen LeQuesne, Paddy Keatley, Dorothy Tipton, Jim Mainguy, Dorothy Duncan, Billy Russell, Eileen Page, Edgar Phillips, Dorothy Trenholm, Gray Pierce, Dorothy Talbot, Erling Olson, Betty Young, Gerald Brown, Lois Leeming, Raymond Brown.

The following took part in the Maypole dance: Vera Day, Florence Evans, Maurel Colk, Marjorie Wallace, Eileen Ford, Muriel Williams, Doris Fox, Verna Richmond, Stella Stannard, Margaret West, Viola Wade, Beryl Smith, Lily Ho, Millicent Fox, Keyoko Magano, Joan Holmes, Janet Buckham, Roberta Evans, Shirley Gooding, Yvonne Bonsal, Phyllis Weismiller, Rosa Hansen, Tomea Toyoda, Kathleen LeQuesne, Diana Phillips, Clara Hansen, Olive Gorton, Mary Savage and Mary MacRae.

Miss Marjorie Pitt, at the piano, and Miss Meta Sejrup, violin, supplied the music.

The Queen and royal party arrived at the grounds in beautifully-decorated cars, while the school children marched as a guard of honor.

CONGRATULATE STAFF

Much credit is due to the entire staff for their untiring efforts in making the May Day celebrations the outstanding success they were, and to the members of the Board of School Trustees, who lent their valuable assistance.

The following schedule gives full results of the sports programme:

Senior Cup (presented by the Capitol Theatre)—Division I, Mr. C. A. Stewart, 44 points.

Intermediate Cup (presented by Maple Leaf Confectionery)—Division III, Miss M. Stewart, 19 points.

Junior Cup—Division XI, Mrs. Ruffell, 39 points.

School Board Shield—One event yet to be run off to decide—Division II, Mr. Wallace, has 59 points, and Division I, Mr. Stewart, has 60 points.

Boys' Individual Champion—Theer tie with 15 points: Stow Lundie, Charlie Strougler and Merlin Woodward.

Girls' Individual Champion—Josephine Jackson, 11 points.

SCHOOL SPORTS

Boys under 14 years, 100 yards—1, Charlie Strougler (Div. 3); 2, Tony Lundie (Div. 3); 3, Allister Hassel (Div. 4).

Girls under 14 years, 75 yards—1, Frances Brien (Div. 1); 2, Agnes Hansen (Div. 1); 3, Josephine Jackson (Div. 2).

Boys under 7 years, 25 yards—1, Douglas Jennings (Div. 11); 2, Raymond Brown (Div. 10); 3, Paddy Keatley (Div. 11).

Girls under 7 years, 25 yards—1, Phyllis Weismuller (Div. 11); 2, Tommy Toyada (Div. 11); 3, Kathleen LeQuesne (Div. 11).

Boys under 8 years—1, Merlin Woodward (Div 10); 2, Jim Mainguy (Div. 10); 3, Gerald Brown (Div. 10).

Girls under 8 years—1, Rosa Hansen (Div. 2); 2, Phyllis Weismiller (Div. 9); 3, Aileen Page (Div. 10).

Boys under 9 years—1, Merlin Woodward (Div. 10); 2, Stanley Kirkham (Div. 9); 3, Jack Vidal (Div. 9).

Girls under 9 years—1, Rosa Hansen (Div. 11); 2, Laurel Colk (Div. 8); 3, Janey Wilkin (Div. 8).

Boys under 10 years—1, Arthur Mellin (Div. 8); 2, Bertie Kyle (Div. 8); 3, Gerald Smith (Div. 8).

Girls under 10 years—1, Rona McDonald (Div. 7); 2, Janet Bucham (Div. 9); 3, Vera Day (Div. 8).

Boys under 11 years—1, Eric Pitt (Div. 5); 2, Arthur Mellin (Div. 8); 3, Bert Kyle (Div. 8).

Girls under 11 years—1, May Lundie (Div. 5); 2, Janet Buckham (Div. 9); 3, Aileen Stannard (Div. 4).

Boys under 12 years—1, Charlie Strougler (Div. 3); 2, Eric Pitt (Div 4); 3, Allan Gadsden (Div 4).

Girls under 12 years—1, Inez Woodward (Div. 6); 2, Joyce Haycock (Div. 5); 3, Dorothy Wentworth (Div. 3).

Girls under 13 years—1, Josephine Jackson (Div. 2); 2, Inez Woodward (Div. 6); 3, Dorothy Wentworth (Div. 3).

Boys under 13 years—1, Charlie Strougler (Div. 3); 2, Tony Lundie (Div. 3); 3, Stuart Reiley (Div. 4).

Boys 14 years and over, 100 yards—1, Stow Lundie (Div. 1); 2, Lawrence Olmstead (Div. 3); 3, Lewis Langlois (Div. 2).

Girls 14 years and over, 100 yards—1, Esther Thompson (Div. 1); 2, Una Fletcher (Div. 2); 3, Gladys Stock (Div. 2).

Boys 13 years and over—1, L. Olmstead (Div. 3); 2, Lewis Langlois (Div. 2); 3, Harry Bradshaw (Div. 2).

Boys 9 years and over—1, Don Roberts (Div. 3); 2, Tony Lundie (Div. 3); 3, Rupert Holmes (Div. 3).

Boys under 9 years—1, Merlin Woodward (Div. 10); 2, Gerald Brown and Alex Wentworth (Div. 10); tie.

Girls 13 years and over—1, Gladys Stock (Div. 2); 2, Frances Brien (Div. 1); 3, Esther Thompson (Div. 1).

Girls 9 years and over—1, Josephine Jackson (Div. 2); 2, Dorothy Wentworth (Div. 3); 3, Agnes Hansen (Div. 1).

Girls under 9 years—1, Roberta Evans (Div. 9); 2, Janey Wilkin (Div. 8); 3, Millicent Fox (Div. 9).

Boys under 7 years—1, Raymond Brown (Div 10); 2, Erling Olson (Div. 10), and Douglas Jennings (Div. 10); tie.

Broad Jump, senior—1, Stow Lundie (Div. 1); 2, Lewis Langlois (Div. 2); 3, Malcolm Green (Div. 2).

Boys 13 years and over, 220 yards—1, Stow Lundie (Div. 1); 2, Lewis Langlois (Div. 2); 3, Lawrence Olmstead (Div. 3).

Boys 9 years and under, 220 yards, relay—1 (Div. 8, Miss Dee): Bert Kyle, Bertram Thorpe, Gerald Smith and Arthur Mellin; 2 (Div. 6, Miss Larson): Rowland Fawcett, Robert Wade, Desire Morin and Edward Lee; 3 (Div. 10, Miss Owen): Merlin Woodward, Jim Mainguy, Gerald Brown and Erling Olson.

Girls 9 years and under, 220 yards, relay—1 (Div. 8, Miss Dee): Marjorie Wallace, Vera Day, Laurel Colk and Florence Evans; 2 (Div. 6, Miss Larsen): Diana Phillips, Edith Dirom, Ina Clark and Clara Hansen; 3 (Div. 9, Miss Barker): Stella Stannard, Roberta Evans, Millicent Fox and Janet Bucham.

Boys 12 years and under, 220 yards, relay—1 (Div. 3, Miss Stewart): Tony Lundie, Rupert Holmes, Melvin Fletcher and Charlie Strougler; 2 (Div. 4, Miss George): Allan Gadsden, Allister Hassell, Stuart Reiley and Jack Baker; 3 (Div. 4, Miss George): Roland Ford, Hugh Carberry, George Dobson and Hubert Ruffell.

Girls 12 years and under, 220 yards, relay—1 (Div. 5, Mr. Miller): May Lundie, Connie Lomas, Lenora Jennings and Mary Pilkington; 2 (Div. 3, Miss Stewart): Dorothy Wentworth, Helen Lemon, Ida Sharples and Betty Weston; 3 (Div. 1, Mr. Stewart): Margaret Peterson, Muriel Bonsall, Betty Goddard and Agnes Hansen.

Boys 13 years and over, 440 yards, relay—1 (Div. 2, Mr. Wallace): Lewis Langlois, Harry Bradshaw, James Gregory and Malcolm Green; 2 (Div. 1, Mr. Stewart): Stow Lundie, Eric Smythe, Norman Lomas and Lawrence Bartlett; 3 (Div. 3, Miss Stewart): Lawrence Olmsted, Joey Carberry, Tony Lundie and Bernard Brown.

Girls 13 years and over, 440 yards, relay—1 (Div. 10, Mr. Stewart): Esther Thompson, Frances Brien, Rose Lowe and Agnes Hansen; 2 (Div. 2, Mr. Wallace): Una Fletcher, Gladys Stock, Kate Buckmaster and Josephine Jackson; 3 (Div. 3, Miss Stewart): Dorothy Wentworth, Phyllis Colk, Edna Wilkin and Eileen Langlois.

Sack Race, open—1, Stow Lundie (Div. 1); 2, John McMillen (Div. 3); 3, Melvin Fletcher (Div. 3).

Tug of War—1 Div. 1 (Mr. Stewart); 2, Div. 11 (Mrs. Ruffell); 3, Div 8 (Miss Castley).

Skipping race, girls—1, Una Fletcher (Div. 2; 2, Rose Lowe (Div. 1); 3, Frances Brien (Div. 10).

Potato Race, open—1, James Gregory (Div. 11); 2, Gladys Stock (Div. 2); 3, Norman Lomas (Div. 1).

Three-legged Race, under 10 years—1, Arthur Mellin and Arthur Olmstead (Div. 8); 2, Clara Hansen and Dianna Phillip (Div. 6).

Three-legged Race, over 10 years—1, Lewis Langlois and Malcolm Green (Div. 2); 2, Lawrence Olmstead and Tony Lundie (Div. 3); 3, Una Fletcher and Gladys Stock (Div. 2).

Ladysmith Will Celebrate Two Days at Jubilee

LADYSMITH, May 28.—At a public meeting of the citizens of Ladysmith held in the council chamber, with Mayor Jones in the chair, it was decided that sports should be held on July 1 and 2, to celebrate the Diamond Jubilee. The programme for July 1 is to be composed of field sports, with a parade in the morning. A regatta and water sports will be held on July 2 at Shell Beach. Committees were formed to take charge of the event, and a big celebration is expected, as Extension, South Wellington and district will join in making it a huge success.

Aluminum Shower for Duncan Bride-to-Be

DUNCAN, May 28.—Miss B. Bannerman, whose marriage takes place next month, was the guest of honor at a most enjoyable aluminum shower at the home of Mrs. Tombs here on Wednesday evening. Miss May Tombs, Mrs. J. Maitland and Miss N. Robertson acted as hostesses for the function. The invited guests included Miss Beatrice Bannerman, Mrs. Tombs, Miss Baron, Mrs. C. French, the Misses Robertson, Mrs. H. W. Brien, Mrs. F. Rey, Mrs. Seeley, Mrs. O. C. Brown, Mrs. C. Clark, Mrs. W. T. McCuish, Mrs. A. Hutchinson, Mrs. Payne, Mrs. H. Peterson, Mrs. Harris, Miss Viola Harris, Miss I. Truesdale, Mrs. Horsfall, Miss A. MacDonald, Miss Grace Hattie, Miss Mae Burtch, Miss Isabell Dee, Miss Muriel Barker, Miss E. Potts, Miss L. Talbot, Miss Irene Truesdale, Mrs. H. W. Brien and Mrs. C. French were the winners of the two competitions held, while the consolation prizes went to Mrs. J. Maitland and Miss E. Potts. Vocal solos were contributed by Miss Mae Burtch.

Miscellaneous Shower Is Given Miss Fordyce

DUNCAN, May 28.—Mrs. W. E. Corfield acted as hostess for an enjoyable miscellaneous shower this afternoon, when Miss S. Fordyce, whose marriage takes place next month, was the guest of honor. The invited guests included Miss S. Fordyce, Mrs. Fordyce, Mrs. E. A. Price and the Misses Muriel and Gwen Price, Mrs. C. F. Davie, Mrs. A. Day, Miss Doreen Day, Mrs. H. C. Mann, Mrs. F. G. Aldersey, Mrs. W. R. Russell, Miss S. Robinson, Mrs. Corfield and Master Richard Corfield, Mrs. J. L. Gibbs, Mrs. R. C. Mainguy, Mrs. Birley, Miss M. Alexander, Miss A. Willock and Mrs. H. T. Reed. A novel competition was staged, of which Mrs. E. A. Price was the winner, with Miss S. Fordyce taking second and Miss Muriel Price the consolation prize. Following tea, little Betty Russell wheeled in a doll's perambulator, gaily decorated, Miss Barbara Corfield and Miss Fileity Aldersey following with others. Each was decorated and contained a lovely lot of gifts for the bride-to-be.

Picture Is Presented To Royal Oak School

ROYAL OAK, May 28.—On Thursday afternoon Miss Agnew, of Victoria, paid a visit to Royal Oak School, and after an interesting address to the children, presented the school on behalf of the Women's Canadian Club, with a picture of The Fathers of Confederation.

Trustee Horner also gave a little talk on the subject.

Little Eva McColl, on behalf of the teachers, presented Miss Agnew with a bouquet of carnations.

Royal Oak Scouts At Government House

The Scouts and Wolf Cubs of the district were in attendance on Saturday at the garden fete at Government House.

CANTEEN FUND IS MAIN ISSUE

Canadian Legion Delegates to Attend Provincial Convention Next Month in Vancouver

A meeting of Canadian Legion delegates to the provincial convention which is to be held in Vancouver next month took place in the board room of Pro Patria Branch on Friday night, when the following comrades were present: Colonel Lorne Ross (British Campaigners), G. O. Bloomfield and F. D. Hickman (Britannia Beach), A. Calvert (North Saanich), R. Macnichol, H. P. Thorpe, Hon. T. G. Coventry, M.P.P., and H. W. Hart (Pro Patria Branch), G. W. Gornall (T.V.A. Branch), W. G. Stone and G. W. Brooker (Naval Veterans' Branch).

A general discussion on the Canteen Fund resulted in a decision to recommend that a definite time be set for its disbursement in order that the benefits may be confined to the men who served and their immediate dependents; the amount to be disbursed each year to be worked out on an actuarial basis.

It was considered that assistance should include the following, which will be put forward as suggestions without unduly curtailing the trustees' discretionary powers: Relief of distress; endowment of cots in Solarium for children of ex-service men, and beds in various hospitals for ex-service men who do not come under the regulations of the D.S.C.R.; scholarships for children of ex-service men who show particular aptitude along special lines.

A recommendation that the act be amended to increase the number of trustees, to provide a seat for a representative of organized ex-service men, will be submitted.

It was further decided to recommend that all ranks be eligible for assistance, also dependents of ex-service men and women.

Mr. Handley Lewis Finds Neuritis Remedy

At Age of Seventy-Five Makes Discovery of Real Value

Rheumatic Sufferers Will All Be Interested

PORT LORNE, April 24.—Mr. Lewis, a well-known local resident, makes his statement in order that other rheumatic sufferers may find the way to health. "I fell and hurt my shoulder badly in 1923. Neuritis set in and the pain was intense. I used different liniments, but without avail. Then I used Nerviline. What a wonderful liniment it must be. It restored me and I have never had neuritis since. I am seventy-five years of age, and may say that my wife uses Nerviline for cramps and pains; in fact, Nerviline is our family medicine. We would not think of being without it in our home."—Handley Lewis.

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Cancelled Designs Dining Suites At Clearance Prices

Solid Oak Dining Suite, $89.75
8 Pieces, consisting of extension table (opens to 6 ft.), buffet with mirror back, cupboard and three drawers, set of six leather-seated chairs. Complete suite of 8 pieces, Extension Sale Price $89.75

Queen Anne Dining Suite in Birch Walnut $165.00
Consisting of oblong extension table, sixty-inch mirror back buffet and set of six Queen Anne fiddle-back diners, full shaped legs with cabriole feet. An elegant suite for the low price of $165.00

Solid Oak Dining Suite—Regular $240.00 Sale $198.50
The reason for so big a reduction is that this suite is a discontinued design, and without a doubt a wonderful bargain. Suite consists of oblong extension table, handsome buffet, 60 inches long; set of 6 leather-seated chairs and china cabinet. A reproduction of the Tudor period designs. This complete suite of nine pieces. Regular $240.00. Extension Sale Price $198.50

Solid Walnut Dining Suite—Regular $320.00 Sale $270.00
A great bargain for a solid walnut suite. It is made in the Spanish Renaissance period design, dull rubbed with raised panels of handsome figured burl walnut; has blue grain leather-seated chairs, 60-inch buffet, china cabinet and oblong table. Complete set of 9 pieces. Regular $320.00. Extension Sale Price $270.00

Last Two Days to Buy Linoleum at Sale Prices

Staines' English Inlaid—Regular $2.05 Sale, Square Yard, $1.85
This is the best known make in the world, pattern goes through to the back; designs suitable for all rooms. Sale Price, square yard $1.85

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This is the standard grade, generally used and is very satisfactory for the price asked. We have an abundance of patterns to suit all rooms. Sale, square yard 88c

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Size 9 x 9 ..... $9.50
Size 9 x 10.6 ..... $10.75
Size 9 x 12 ..... $12.50

LADIES' DESKS $15.90
Desk has drop lid, giving ample writing space, has pigeon holes and long drawer. Comes in fumed and walnut finish. Extension Sale Price $15.90

Bargains in Beds Springs and Mattresses

Steel Bed, $8.75
Continuous Post All-Steel Bed, with five fillers and heavy bottom rail. Extension Sale Price $8.75

Walnut Steel Bed, $9.90
Extra Heavy Continuous Post Bed, with stout fillers and bottom rail, reinforced steel bar at head and foot and steel side rails; can be hammered without cracking. A bed for heavyweights or husky lads. Exceptionally low price $9.90

Simmons Graceline Beds, $15.75
20 Only, Simmons Graceline Walnut Steel Beds, with graceful arch top, made to match the best walnut furniture. Regular $17.75. 20 Only, to clear at $15.75

Steel Bed and Mattress Complete, $16.75
12 Only, All-Steel Beds, with cable spring and felt mattress, 3 ft. by 6 ft. Extension Sale Price $16.75

Steel Cot and Mattress, $8.25
Folding Steel Cot, 2 ft. 6 in. by 6 ft., with copper wire spring and felt roll-up mattress. Ideal for child's spare cot or camp. Sale Price, complete $8.25

Sanitary Couch, $13.90
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Built in layers, guaranteed not to lump; made with roll edges, covered in strong art tick. Very special $8.90

White Cotton Felt Mattress, $10.50
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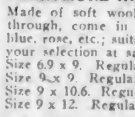

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5-Piece Bedroom Suite, $89.75
Consists of dresser, bed, chiffonier, bench and triple mirror dressing table; all have British bevel plate mirrors, bevelled drawer edges and antique drop handles; walnut or ivory finish. Exceptional value at, complete suite $89.75

5-Piece Bedroom Suite, $165.00
Large pieces of handsome design in antique walnut effect. Full size vanity with long centre and two side swing mirrors. Dresser has 42-inch base with large arch top mirror, chiffonier has 5 drawers, bed has exceptionally pretty arch top. This suite complete with bench in Tudor period. Exceptional value at $165.00

5-Piece Bedroom Suite—Regular $338.50 Sale $279.00
Genuine Bird's-Eye Maple Suite, consists of dresser, bed, chiffonier, bench and vanity. A very pretty suite and lovely wood. See this for a bargain at $279.00

5-Piece Bedroom Suite—Regular $465.00 Sale $395.00
No-Mar Suite in highest grade select walnut, of elegant style in two-tone effect. Dull rubbed and high lighted with genuine bird's-eye panels; all pieces have double bevel edges, large mirrors, mahogany lined drawers, antique bronzed handles. No-mar furniture will withstand hot dishes, water, perfume, etc. See this handsome 5-piece suite offered at a big reduction. Regular $465.00. To clear $395.00

Bedroom Dresser, $14.90
Has three drawers and British plate mirror; walnut or ivory finish. Special $14.90

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The current number of Mayfair, Toronto, contains a great deal that is of interest to Victorians. Besides the monthly letter there are two full pages of photographs depicting the visit of Their Excellencies, Lord and Lady Willingdon. There is also a very charming photograph of Mrs. W. C. Nichol, whose daughter's wedding is announced. Mayfair make a feature of wedding pictures, and the last issue is call "A Bride Number." There are photographs of the wedding parties of Mrs. Frederick Charles Chisnell, lately of Ottawa; Mrs. L. Strachan Mitchell, of Toronto, Miss Mary Agnes McCulloch, of Galt, Ontario; Mrs. James Alexander Swanson, of Vancouver, and others.

Unofficial Search for Nungesser Is Promised

WASHINGTON, May 28.—An unofficial air expedition is under consideration to search interior Newfoundland and the Labrador coast for the missing French transatlantic flyers, Captains Charles Nungesser and Francois Coli, the Navy Department has been advised.

Assistant Secretary Warner, of the navy, who made the announcement today, declined to name the private backers of the project.

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Finance and Commerce

INDUSTRIALS AND RAILROADS SOAR

Another Wave of Buying Sweeps Over the Stock Market in New York City

NEW YORK, May 28.—Another wave of buying swept over the stock market today, carrying a long list of railroad and industrial stocks into new high record territory. Railroads which have been associated with merger reports were easily bid up into new high figures.

Strength of Motor shares was a feature of the industrial division, gains of a point or more being sustained by Chrysler, General Motors and Hudson.

Public utilities shares also displayed strength, new tops being reached by American and Foreign Power, common and preferred, Public Service of New Jersey, Detroit Edison and others. A seven-point jump by Norwegian kroner to 25.93 cents featured the foreign exchange market, in which demand sterling ruled around $4.85 7-16 and French francs below 3.92 cents.

Although readjustments of accounts before the holiday continued in the bond market today, prices showed slight changes and generally held firm. Trading was in fair volume for a short session.

Week-end profit taking cropped out in numerous issues, particularly Erie "D" 4's, and Missouri Pacific General 4's, each of which sagged fractionally.

(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Close
Allis Chalmers	109	109	109
Allied Chemical	144-4	143-2	143-2
Amerada Corpn.	33-3	32-7	32-7
Am. Bet Sugar	30	20	20
Am. Bosch Mag	14-4	14-4	14-4
Am. Can.	50	49-4	49-6
Am. Car & Fdy.	109-2	109-2	109-2
Am. Locomotive	115-3	115-3	115-3
Am. Smelters	159	156-6	158-6
Am. Steel Fdy.	45	45	45
Am. Sugar	95	95	95
Am. Sum. Tob.	52-3	52-2	52-2
Am. Tel. & Tel.	167-7	167-6	167-7
Am. Tobacco	127-4	127-4	127-4
Am. Tobacco "B"	135	135	135
Am. Woolens	17-4	17-4	17-4
Anaconda	45-6	45-4	45-6
Armour "A"	10-3	10-2	10-2
Atlantic Gulf	41	39-4	40-5
Atchison	184-6	184-2	184-4
Baldwin Loco	223	221	221
Baltimore & Ohio	123-7	123-7	123-7
Bethlehem Steel	50-5	50-5	50-5
Brooklyn Manhat	82-5	82-5	82-5
California Packing	65	65	65
California Pte	24-4	24-4	24-4
Canadian Pacific	183-6	183-4	183-6
Central Leather	15	15	15
Cerro De Pasco	60-4	60-4	60-4
Chesapeake & Ohio	186-4	186-1	186-2
Chic. Gt. Western	20-1	20-1	20-1
Chic., Mil. & St. P.	14-7	14-7	14-7
Chic. & Northwest	87-7	87	87-7
Chic. R.I. & Pac.	107-7	107	107-7
Chrysler Motor	46-2	45-4	46
Coca Cola	114	113-4	114
Colo. Fuel & Iron	88-4	87-7	87-7
Columbia Gas	98	97-7	98
Cons. Gas	103-6	103-4	103-4
Cont. Can.	69-2	69-2	69-2
Cont. Oil	18	18	18
Cont. Motor	12	12	12
Corn Products	58	57-5	57-6
Crucible Steel	87	87	87
Cuba Am. Sugar	23	23	23
Davison Chem	33-3	33-2	33-3
Del. Lack. & West	167	166-4	167
Dodge Bros.	22-4	22-1	22-1
Dupont Powder	247	244	247
Elec. Power	22-2	22-2	22-2
Elec. Refrigerator	25-3	25-3	25-3
Erie	55-3	55	55
Famous Players	109-3	109-3	109-3
Foundation Co	70-2	70-2	70-2
Freeport, Texas	67-7	66-5	66-5
General Asphalt	77	77	77
General Cigar	79-4	79-3	79-4
General Electric	102-7	102-4	102-6
General Motors	196	195-1	195-6
Goodrich Rubber	58	58	58
Granby	41-6	41-4	41-4
Great North. Ore	20-2	20-2	20-2
Great North. pfd.	91	90-4	91
Gt. West Sug	121-4	120	120
Gulf States Steel	52	52	52
Houston Oil	139-1	135-7	138-7
Howe Sound	37-4	37-4	37-4
Hudson Motor	82-2	81-2	82
Hupp Motors	20-2	20-2	20-2
Illinois Central	125-1	125-1	125-1
Imperial Oil	43-2	43-2	43-2
Inspiration	15	15	15
Int. Comb. Eng.	48-3	48	48-3
Intl. Harvester	182	182	182
Int. Pete	30-4	30-4	30-4
Int. Mer. Marine	8-4	8-4	8-4
Int. Mer. Mar. pfd	52-4	51-4	51-4
Int. Nickel	71-4	68	71-4
Int. Tel. & Tel.	140	139-7	140
Kan. City South	58-6	56	58-4
Kennecott Copper	64-6	64-5	64-6
Lehigh Valley	124-2	124-2	124-2
Louisiana Oil	12-1	12-1	12-1
Louis. & Nash.	143-7	143-7	143-7
Mack Truck	115-6	115-4	115-4
Manhattan Elec.	68-4	68-4	68-4
Marland Oil	38-7	38-6	38-7
Miami	15-4	15-4	15-4
Mid. Cont'nt Pete	31-4	31-2	31-2
Miss. Pacific	55	54	55
Miss. Pacific pfd.	105-2	105	105-3
Montana Power	99-7	99-7	99-7
Montgomery Ward	68-2	66-6	67-7
Moon Motor	6-2	6-2	6-2
Motor Meter	35-6	35-6	35-6
Motor Wheel	25-1	25-1	25-1
Nash Motors	66	65-6	65-6
National Biscuit	132-1	132-1	132-1
Natl. Cash Reg.	43-2	43-2	43-2
Natl. Dairy Prod.	83	83	83
National Lead	197	197	197
Norfolk & West	187	187	187
North American	49-7	49-7	49-7
Northern Pacific	87-7	87	87-7
N.Y. Central	155	154-4	154-6
N.Y., N.H. & Hart.	51	51	51
N.Y., Ont. & West	29-2	29	29
Pan American	57-6	57-6	57-6
Packard Motor	36-4	36-4	36-4
Pan American "B"	58-7	58	58-4
Pennsylvania R.R.	64-7	64-5	64-5
Pere Marquette	139-2	139	139-2
Phillips Pete	44-6	44-5	44-5
Pierce Arrow	17	16-5	17
Producers & Ref.	30-5	30-5	30-5
Pullman Co.	193	192	192
Pure Oil	27	27	27
Radio	48-7	48-4	48-4
Ray Cons.	15-1	15	15
Reading	121-3	118-6	121-3
Rep. Iron & Steel	67	67	67
Royal Dutch	49-7	49-7	49-7
Savage Arms	54-2	54	54-2
Schultz	52-3	52-3	52-3
Sears Roebuck	55	54-6	55
Shell Union	28	27-7	28
Sinclair Cons.	17-2	17-1	17-1
Sloss Sheffield	129-3	129-3	129-3
Southern Pac.	114-3	114-3	114-3
Southern Railway	129-4	129-4	129-4
Standard Gas	58-4	58-4	58-4
Standard Oil, Cal.	54	54	54
Standard Oil, N.J.	37-4	37-4	37-4
Standard Oil, Ind.	67-4	67-4	67-4
Stewart Warner	61-4	61-2	61-4
St. Louis & S. Fran.	113-7	113-1	113-3
Stromberg Carb.	23-7	23-7	23-7
Studebaker	51-6	51-6	51-6
Tennessee Copper	8-7	8-7	8-7
Texas Co	48	47-7	48
Texas Gulf Sulphur	60-2	58-6	60-1
Texas Pacific R.R.	83	81-4	83
Tex. Pac. C. & O.	12-2	12-2	12-3
Timken Roller	98-6	98-6	98-6
Tobacco Prod.	101-4	100-4	101-4
Tobacco Pro. "A"	112-4	112-4	112-4
Union Oil of Cal.	43-4	43-4	43-4
Union Pacific	178-6	178	178-5
U.S. Cast I. Pipe	238	238	238
U.S. Ind. Alco	77	76-6	77
U.S. Rubber	50-6	50-4	50-4
U.S. Steel	174	173-2	173-4
Universal Pipe	30-7	29-7	30-7
Vanadium	46-2	46-2	46-2
Victor Talk. Mach.	36-5	36	36-2
Wabash	76-5	75-2	76-4
Western Pacific	31-2	31-2	31-2
Westing. Air Brake	168-6	165-5	168-6
Westing. Elec.	77-2	76-3	76-4
White Motor	48	48	49
Willys-Overland	20-2	20-1	20-1
Woolworth	143-6	143-6	143-6
Worth. Pump	28-6	28-6	28-6
Y'gston Sh. & Tu.	88-4	88-4	88-4
Yel. Tr'k & Coach	27-4	27-4	27-4
Intl. Match pfd.	74-6	74-1	74-5

VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER, May 28. — Closing wheat prices: Spot and en route, No. 1 Nor., 163 7-8; No. 2 Nor., 159 3-8; No. 3 Nor., 151 7-8; No. 4 wheat, 141 3-8; No. 5, 133 7-8; No. 6, 124 3-8; feed, 111 3-8; screenings, $15 per ton.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, May 28.—Foreign exchanges steady. Quotations in cents:
France—3.91⅝; cables 3.91¾.
Italy—5.48½; cables 5.47.
Belgium—13.89.
Germany—23.69.
Holland—40.01.
Norway—25.93.
Sweden—26.75.
Denmark—26.70¼.
Switzerland—19.24.
Spain—17.56.
Greece—1.31.
Czecho-Slovakia—2.96.
Jugo-Slavia—1.76.
Austria—14.12½.
Rumania—.60½.
Argentina—42.37¼.
Brazil—11.61.
Tokio—48.31¼.
Shanghai—62.25.
Montreal—100.05¼.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, May 28. — Demand 485 7-16; cables 485 13-16; 60-day bills on banks 481 9-16.

AT VICTORIA

Buying 483¼; selling 486¼.

TORONTO MINES

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Amulet	1.59	..
Argonaut	.49	..
Baldwin	.22¼	..
Barry	.30	..
Buckingham	.04	..
West Dome	.06	.07
Dome	9.00	..
Gold Hill	.31	..
Goldale	.25	..
Hollinger	26.20	..
Hunton	.22	..
Kirkland Lake	1.30	1.32
Lakeshore	20.15	..
Noranda	22.30	..
Premier	2.00	..
Teck Hughes	7.88	7.90
Vickers	.45	.50
Vipond	.97	..
Wright Hargreaves	5.92	..
Night Hawk	.07	.08
Beaver	1.10	..
Capital	.18	.19
Castle	.90	..
Crown Reserve	.10	.11
Keeley	1.28	1.36
Lakeside	.01¾	..
McKinley	.17	..
Mill Creek	.05½	.06
Nipissing	6.75	..
Nawray	.33	..
Duprat	.09	..
Laval	.22	..
Towagmac	3.90	..
Grever Daly	.10½	..
Indian	.07	.08
Victory	.05	..
Central Manitoba Mines	1.60	..
Macassa	.24	..

Victoria Stock Exchange

MINING

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Silver	1.55	1.70
Dunwell Mines	1.32	1.38
Glacier Creek	..	.10
Gladstone	..	.27
Goldsmith	.26½	.22
Gleaner	..	35
Granby	40.00	42.00
Howe Sound	36.00	46.00
Independence Gold	.08	.10
Indian Mines	.67¼	.09
International Coal	.21	.23
L. & L. Glacier	..	.11½
Lakeview	.02¼	.02¾
Leadsmith	..	.06
Lucky Jim	.26½	.23
Marmot Metals	.13	.15
National Silver (G. S.)	..	.20
Porter Idaho	.15¼	.17
Premier Gold	2.05	2.08
Richmond	.27	.29
Rufus	.11	.15
Russell Creek	..	20
Ruth Hope	.22½	.27
Selkirks	..	.03
Silverado	..	35
Silvercrest	.06½	.07
Silversmith	.35	.38
Sunloch	.65	.75
Terminus	.07	..
Cork Province	.07	.68½
OILS		
B.C. Montana	.66 1-16	.00 3-16
MISCELLANEOUS		
B.C. Telephone	..	104.00
B.C. Elec. P. & G.	102.50	104.56
LOCAL CURB STOCKS		
Slocan King	.15	.17
George Copper	82	80
Coast Copper	10.50	12.00
Malaspina	.15	.17
Cal Homestake	..	80
Torric Mines	3.75	..

SALES

500 George Copper at .83; 500 George Copper, .83; 350 George Copper, .95; 1,000 George Copper, .85; 200 Slocan King, .18; 800 Slocan King, .16; 1,000 Slocan King, .16; 5,000 Richmond, .27½; 1,000 Richmond, .28; 500 Richmond, .28; 300 Richmond, .28; 200 Premier, 2.08; 200 Dunwell, 1.32; 1,100 Dunwell, 1.33; 750 Dunwell, 1.34; 500 Dunwell, 1.35; 50 Dunwell, 1.35.

Calgary Oil Stocks

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co. by direct private wire)

	Bid	Asked
Alberta Pacific Cons.	..	.15
British Dominion	25	.33
Dalhousie	1.55	1.80
Illinois Alberta	33	35
McDougall Segur (new)	.77	85
McDougall Segur Ex.	..	1.05
McLeod	1.56	1.70
Moose Mountain	..	25
Royalite	26.00	26.50
Turner	.33	40
Union	.65	1.00
Vulcan	2.25	2.36

VANCOUVER EXCHANGE

VANCOUVER, May 28.—Today's quotations on the Vancouver Stock Exchange were:

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Silver	1.64	1.70
Cork Province	.68	.08½
Coast Copper	12.00	12.50
Dunwell	1.34	1.37
Glacier	.09	.09¼
Gladstone	24½	.25
Howe Sound	37.00	28.75
Independence	.08¾	.09
Indian Mines	.07	.07½
International Coal	.21	.23
L. & L.	.10½	.11¼
Lucky Jim	.21¼	.21½
Lakeviews	.01½	.03
Leadsmith	..	.05½
Marmot	.12½	..
National Silver (G.S.)	16	.16½
Premier	2.05	2.06
Porter-Idaho	.16	.16½
Richmond	.26½	.29
Selkirks	.01¼	.01¾
Silver Crest	.06¾	.07
Silversmith	.35	.38
British Petroleum	.11	.12
B.C. Montana	.00 1-16	.00¼
Maple Leaf	..	.18

SALES

400 Dunwell at 1.30; 500 at 1.31; 200 at 1.32; 400 at 1.34; 100 at 1.36; 200 at 1.36; 1,000 Independence at .09; 180 Coast Copper at 12.00; 4,000 Leadsmith at .04½; 100 B.C. Silver at 1.65; 500 Porter-Idaho at .15½; 8,000 at .15¾; 12,000 at .16; 3,000 at .18¼; 1,000 Premier at 2.07; 1,000 Cork Province at .06; 2,000 National Silver (G.S.) at .18; 1,000 L. & L. at .11; 1,600 Glacier at .09¾; 200 Richmond at .29.

VICTORY AND WAR BONDS

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

Interest due—	Buy	Sell
VICTORY LOAN, 5½%—TAX FREE		
1927, 1st June and Dec.	100.35	100.45
1933, 1st May and Nov.	105.00	105.10
1937, 1st June and Dec.	108.10	108.30
WAR LOAN, 5%—TAX FREE		
1931, 1st April and Oct.	101.45	101.55
1937, 1st Mar. and Sept.	103.50	103.70
(Payable New York)		
VICTORY LOAN, 5½%		
1927, 1st May and Nov.	100.35	100.50
1932, 1st May and Nov.	103.18	103.20
1934, 1st May and Nov.	103.85	104.00
DOMINION LOAN		
1928, 15th April and Oct., 6%	100.20	100.40
1943, 15th April and Oct., 6%	103.75	103.85
1940, 1st Mar. and Sept., 4½%	99.85	100.00
1944, 15th April and Oct., 4½%	99.85	100.00
1954, 1st Feb. and Aug. (C.N.R.), 6%		105.50

Prices subject to ¼ of 1% brokerage.
Add accrued interest to date.
1927, 1927, 178 days, 2.682 per $100.
1927, 1932, 1933, 1934, 27 days, .407 per $100.
1928, 1943, 43 days, .589 per $100.
1944, 43 days, .536 per $100.

BEARISH TINGE TO WHEAT MART

Prices at Winnipeg on Decline With May Undergoing the Heaviest Loss

WINNIPEG, May 28.—There was a pronounced bearish tinge to the wheat market today in contrast to the strength of the past week, prices declining ⅞ cent to 1½ cents, with May undergoing the heaviest loss.

The feature today was the heavy selling of July wheat against purchases of the October, with the general public in the thick of it. The market throughout was inclined to be erratic, fluctuations working over a range of 3½ cents. The bearish local sentiment was chiefly attributed to a private seeding report covering the prairie provinces, which was construed as fairly optimistic.

Although the price range was not wide, a heavy volume of business was transacted in all the coarse grains. Speculative demand led oats and barley into new high ground.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	164	165	161½	162½
July	164	165⅛	162⅛	163⅝
Oct.	150⅝	152¼	149⅝	150½
Dec.	147½	148⅛	146¼	146⅞
Oats—				
May	66	68	64½	67¼
July	63¼	64⅞	63⅛	64⅛
Oct.	55½	58	55⅛	57⅝
Dec.	51⅝	53⅛	51½	53
Barley—				
May	94	94	92¼	93
July	90	91	89⅛	89⅞
Oct.	73½	75	72⅞	74⅛
Flax—				
May	203½	205¾	203	205
July	208	206	204½	206½
Oct.	210	211	206	209⅝
Rye—				
May	..	..	..	116⅞
July	116½	117⅞	116½	117⅞
Oct.	106	108⅛	107½	107⅞

CASH PRICES

Wheat—1 nor., 166; 2 nor., 162; 3 nor., 154½; No. 4, 143½; No. 5, 137⅝; No. 6, 128⅝; feed, 109⅝; track, 162⅝; screenings, 3.

Oats—2 cw., 67¼; 3 cw., 64¼; extra 1 feed, 64¼; 1 feed, 62¼; 2 feed, 56½; rejected, 54¾; track, 66¼.

Flax—1 nwc., 205; 2 cw., 201; 3 cw., 189; rejected, 184; track, 205.

Barley—3 cw., 93; 4 cw., 90; rejected, 86⅝; feed, 84⅝; track, 91⅞.

Rye—2 cw., 116⅞.

MONTREAL STOCKS

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(All Fractions in Eighths)

	Last
Abitibi	95
Asbestos	23-4
Asbestos pfd.	87-2
Atlantic Sugar	28-2
Bell Telephone	148
Brazilian Trac	150-4
Brompton Paper	32
Can. Cement com.	151
Can. Cement pfd.	118-4
Can. Car Fdy. com.	41-4
Can. Car Fdy. pfd.	91
Can. S.S. com.	37-4
Can. S.S. pfd.	92
Can. Cottons	125
Can. Converters	100
Can. Ind. Alcohol	30-3
Cons. M. & S.	248
Dominion Bridge	185
Dominion Glass	122
Dominion Textile	116
Howard Smith	55
Lake of Woods Milling	130
Laurentide Co.	84
Mackay Co.	119-4
Montreal Power	84-6
National Breweries	88-6
Ontario Steel	76-2
Ogilvie Milling Co.	268
Ottawa Power	101
Penmans, Ltd.	75
Shawinigan	87-4
Spanish River Pulp	100
Spanish River Pulp pfd.	114
Steel of Canada	130
Steel of Canada pfd.	137
Twin City Elec.	50-6
Winnipeg Elec.	88-2
Hiram Walker	54-2
B.A. Oil	25-2
Segrams	26

Chicago Grain

(Supplied by B.C. Bond Corpn., Ltd.)

CHICAGO, May 28.—A big trade was on in all grains with prices advancing sharply to a new high on the crop on all deliveries on general outside and commission house buying, which readily absorbed profit taking in corn and oats. Wheat, however, ran into heavy selling on all upturns and the prices were not maintained. Free Press report suggested around 17,500,000 acres seeded in the three provinces. News attracted no attention, though buying at times in all grains bordering on the historical, and fluctuations were very erratic with numerous bulges and breaks of ½ to 1 cent and prices changed ¼ cent between trades. Private reports on Winter wheat will be given out on Thursday and are expected to show a fairly liberal reduction from the 593,000,000 suggested by the Government on May 1. Liverpool closed 2 to 2¾ higher. Export demand was very slow.

Corn and oats showed much more strength than wheat, public interests coming into corn on a large scale and entered oats. Volume of trade was extremely large and individual operations counted for little. Showers forecasted for corn belt attracted much attention. There was evening up for the double holiday.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	155½	156¼	153½	153½
July	150⅞	151⅛	149⅛	149⅝
Sept.	148	146⅝	148½	146⅞
Corn—				
May	86⅝	89	86⅝	88¼
July	99½	102	99	101⅝
Sept.	102	105	101⅞	104¼
Oats—				
May	51	52	51	61⅝
July	50½	54	..	53½
Sept.	51⅝	53⅝	50⅝	62⅛
Rye—				
May	121	121	118	119⅝
July	118	116	116⅝	116⅝
Sept.	110½	..	..	109⅛

Winnipeg Grain Letter

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

WINNIPEG, May 28.—The wheat market was erratic and very nervous today, with prices showing a range of 3 to 3½ cents, but mostly below the previous close. The buying was difficult to locate but was believed to be largely by the bulls and of a speculative character. There was very little export business, bids from abroad not following our advance. The Free Press crop report was ambiguous and misleading in its phrasing as to wheat acreage seeded. The first construction placed upon this report was that 17,859,417 acres were already seeded, which was larger than the trade anticipated. On the office being queried as to what was actually meant, it was learned that only 16,000,000 acres was actually seeded, but that another ten per cent was expected to be put in, bringing the total up to nearly 18,000,000 acres. This brought in another wave of buying orders, resulting in the early bulge of about one cent. The weather throughout Western Canada is bad, and, while not much rain was reported yesterday, it is raining at many points this morning, and the forecast is for showers over the week-end. There was a fair cash demand with Canadian and American mills after one and two northern grades, which offerings were very light.

Longs have gone into the July, Winnipeg futures closed 1½ cent to ⅞ cent lower.

Coarse Grains: These market displayed independent strength, oats closing from 1 cent to 2¼ cents up; barley, ⅞ to 2 cents higher, while rye finished unchanged to ⅛ cent higher. Unless the weather changes quickly there is possibility that coarse grain acreage will be reduced.

Flax: Very fair market. Closed 1¼ cent higher, with shorts covering. Trade not large and crushers not showing much interest.

EGG MARKET REPORT

PRICE TO PRODUCERS

	Ext.	1sts	2nds
Vancouver	28	24	22
Victoria	25	23	21
Edmonton	25-26	23-24	20-21
Calgary	26	24	20
Winnipeg	28	28	22
Toronto	30-31	28-29	25-28
Montreal	30-32	26-30	25-26
JOBBING PRICE			
Vancouver	31	29	27
Victoria	30	29	24-25

FOREIGN BONDS

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Austrian 7's, 1943	102⅝	103¼
French 7's, 1949	104⅝	104⅞
French 7½'s, 1941	113¼	113½
French 8's, 1945	110¼	110½
German 7's, 1949	107	107¼

SILVER MARKETS

NEW YORK, May 28.—Bar silver 56⅞. Mexican dollars 43⅛.

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International Power Corporation	6½%	March 1, 1957	6.50
Republic of Costa Rica	7%	Nov. 1, 1951	7.20
State Mortgage Bank of Jugoslavia	7%	April 1, 1957	7.69
Dredging Contractors, Ltd.	6½%	May 1, 1947	6.62
Acadia Sugar Refg. Corporation	6%	July 1, 1946	6.26
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MINING NEWS

EASTERN CAPITAL ATTRACTED NORTH

Advent of Consolidated Mining Company to Portland Canal District of Far-Reaching Effect

Mr. Louis Ericksen, the president of the Rufus Mining Company, on Bear River, Portland Canal, was in town last week in connection with several propositions which had been submitted to the company looking to the acquisition of the Rufus and the Argenta properties by Eastern people. One of these offers which has been referred to in the press, was in the neighborhood of six hundred thousand dollars made by New York interests and was declined by the local directors. One of the reasons for this action was that the terms proposed was altogether unsatisfactory.

Mr. Ericksen, who returned to Seattle on Friday, stated that arrangements looking to the financing of the company during the approaching season were about complete and ample money will be provided for carrying out the proposed work of thoroughly proving the ground by means of the diamond drill. The company already have a very complete drilling plant on the ground and Mr. Ericksen and Mr. William Forrest, a director of the company, will go North very shortly to superintend this work.

NEW YORKERS INTERESTED

A well-known New York publisher and his brother has recently become interested in the Rufus and Argenta properties, Mr. Ericksen states, the fact that the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company had acquired the George and other properties on the upper Bear River, having had the effect of drawing the attention of Eastern investors to the possibilities of the Portland Canal district. The recent sales of Rufus stock in the United States amply bear witness to this statement, Mr. Ericksen states.

It is interesting to note that both Mr. Ericksen and Mr. Forrest, one of the other locators of the Rufus, paid their first visit to Portland Canal many years before the war, and were two of the discoverers of Hidden Creek, which for some years after that was always regarded by experts as a joke in so far as lode mining was concerned. Hidden Creek has since been developed by the Granby Company, and during the past thirteen years has been the scene of industrial activities which have called for an outlay of probably $60,000,000, on which sum handsome returns have been earned. And Mr. Ericksen recalls that the "showing" at Hidden Creek thirteen years ago were by no means as encouraging as that which miners now see on properties along the upper Bear River which are practically in their infancy.

WILL INVESTIGATE COAST LEAD OUTPUT

New York Company Is Sending Party Into Northern B.C. to Gather Data

A force of field engineers of the National Lead Company, of New York, will invade Northern British Columbia at the end of this month to report on suitable lead and other deposits to be worked by the company, it is reported.

The decision to investigate the British Columbia field follows the announcement of Edward J. Cornish, of New York, president, that the company had decided to consider important investments in other countries. The company dominates the white lead and manufactured lead field over the United States and through subsidiaries operates in England, Germany and other places on the continent.

The lead production the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company, of Montreal and Trail, has developed in British Columbia has turned the attention of the American corporation to this field. From Seattle the engineering parties will sail for Alice Arm and the Portland Canal. They plan to spend all Summer in the field, gathering data, which will be compiled and sent to New York at the end of the season.

WONDERFUL PROGRESS IS SHOWN IN MINING DURING LATE YEARS

In a booklet published by the Natural Resources Intelligence Branch of the Department of the Interior, Mr. W. W. Cory, Deputy Minister, deals with the mining situation in the Dominion and awards it an important place among the factors that are making for the wonderful economic progress of the Dominion. In this connection he says:

"The exceptional variety of the country's mineral wealth has provided a broad highway for Canadian progress. Canada's present mining industry stands out in notable contrast with that of twenty-five years ago. Gold and coal were then the only large items of mineral output. Coal mining was important in Nova Scotia, but British Columbia and the Yukon engrossed mining interest. Today mining enterprise holds a much longer line and is spread over a vastly greater territory. It has opened such new fields as the world-famous gold and silver regions of Ontario, the coal, oil and natural gas areas of Alberta, the mineral belts of Manitoba and Western Quebec. Mining industries which at the start of the century boasted but slender output have expanded manyfold and the Dominion's mineral production now counts among its substantial items not only gold and coal, but silver, copper, lead, nickel, zinc, asbestos and natural gas—not to mention a dozen others of material value. It is a remarkable fact that Canada's mineral output today includes practically every major metal entering into modern commerce. As to future progress, no main branch of Canadian development exhibits a more active immediate programme of expansion. And, certainly, none enjoys a greater potential field for long-time growth.

ALICE ARM MINE IS PREPARING TO SHIP

Mill Machinery for Toric Property Is Now on Ground

The announcement is made by The Alice Arm Herald that machinery for the new concentrator for the Toric Mine is arriving at that point and will be conveyed to the property just as soon as the snow leaves the railway line which runs to the old Dolly Varden mine. This railway, under arrangements with the Government, will be used for the benefit of such properties as can make use of it.

The generator only remains to be shipped in order to complete the necessary machinery for the installation of the mill for the Toric. Commencement of the operation of the mill will be followed by the placing of the mine on a shipping basis.

DALHOUSIE MINE IS PREPARING FOR VERY ACTIVE PROGRAMME

The announcement is made by The Portland Canal News that the Dalhousie property at Stewart under the management of Mr. George A. Cameron is starting on an active Summer at the property. This group of claims is controlled by Victorians for the most part and has been looked upon as very promising. A bridge is to be constructed across the river that will cut off several miles of travel in reaching the property.

It is the intention to continue the tunnel which is in about forty-seven feet on the vein carrying values in gold and copper which runs from $8 to $10 in gold with about three per cent in copper. When the tunnel has reached a distance of about 100 feet cross cuts will be made to ascertain the width of the body which will then have a depth of something like eighty feet.

The property is highly mineralized and a number of veins will warrant full investigation. The Independence adjoins the Dalhousie and the big zinc zone strikes northeast from the latter property into the former.

Free Miners' Licences Must Be Renewed Early

Tuesday, May 31, is the last day for the renewal of free miners' licences. The holders of mining claims in this Province realize the importance of the renewal of these licences if their right to their property is to be kept alive, and in good standing. It is therefore of the very first importance that interested parties should not let their licences lapse.

SEATTLE NET STARS PLAY HERE TODAY

Thirteen Members of Seattle Tennis Club to Meet Victoria's Best in Exhibition Matches

SEATTLE, Wash., May 28.—Just to show they are not superstitious, thirteen members of the Seattle Tennis Club will leave tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock on a Canadian invasion that will pit them against both Victoria and Vancouver tennis teams. The locals will battle Victoria in ten singles and five doubles matches Sunday afternoon and then trot over to Vancouver on Decoration Day for the same number against the players of that city.

Those who will make the trip are: Orval W. Tupper, Seattle club president; Manager Clarke Ewing; Richard MacDonald, assistant manager; Wallace Bates, Angus Clist, Frank Ketcham, Windy Langlie, Armand Marion, A. G. Pringle, John Ryan, Jr., Captain Leon de Turenne and William L. Warren.

The Seattle team will lay special emphasis on the development of doubles combinations. Pringle and Warren, Ketcham and Ryan, Marion and De Turenne, and Bates and Langlie are the teams announced for this trip and they will undoubtedly hold throughout the rest of the season.

Swedish Runner Fails To Break Any Records

LOS ANGELES, May 28.—Edvin Wide, Swedish running champion, not only failed in an attempt here today to break the world's record for one mile, held by Paavo Nurmi, the "flying Finn," but was beaten by Ernest "Nick" Carter, of the Los Angeles Athletic Club, who set a new high coast record of 4:16.8 for the four-lap event. Carter was more than ten yards ahead of the Swedish champion when he broke the tape.

Mrs. Grubb (after a tiff): When I married you I didn't know you were such a coward. I thought you were a brave man.

Grubb: So did everybody else.

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AUDREY GRIFFIN MAY ENTER SWIM

Local Aquatic Star Seriously Considering Competing for $50,000 Purse at Lake Ontario in August

VANCOUVER BOY MAY ALSO RACE

Audrey Griffin, of the Y.M.C.A. Swimming Club, and Johnny Cameron, of the Vancouver Amateur Swimming Club, are thinking seriously of packing up and going to Toronto to compete in the $50,000 swim in August. Just one stumbling block appears to darken the hopes of the Coast aquatic stars and that is the matter of finance.

Miss Griffin for seven years walked off with the "Through-Victoria swim." Two years ago Johnny Cameron arrived on the scene and took the laurels from the local mermaid, duplicating his feat last year.

These swimmers have made the three miles in just over a hour, which is considered good time, and in each swim they have finished fresh.

The continual training in cold water should prove to an advantage should they go East in quest of the big purse, as the water of Lake Ontario at the time which the race is scheduled for would be much warmer than the water on the Coast.

WIDESPREAD INTEREST

TORONTO, May 28.—Widespread interest is evident in the swimming marathon for a $50,000 prize which will be held in Lake Ontario on August 31 of this year. The arrival in Montreal of Ernest Vierkotter and Otto Kemerich, two representatives from Germany, and Madame Sion, of Brussels, Belgium, European swimming champion, interest has increased and training will soon be under way.

To date entry blanks have been received from 102 swimmers. Of this number sixty will represent the United States and thirty-two Canada. A party of Canadian swimmers has already established training quarters at Birch Cliffe, near here, and it is expected before long American entrants will commence training for the long grind in the cold waters of Lake Ontario.

BRITISH RYDER CUP GOLF TEAM ARRIVES

Believe They Have Good Chance to Win Trophy—To Meet Americans June 3 and 4

NEW YORK, May 28.—Britain's Ryder Cup team of professional golfers, which will meet America's picked pros at Worcester, Mass., June 3 and 4, arrived yesterday on the Aquitania.

In the absence of Abe Mitchell, the veteran who was unable to make the trip because of an operation for appendicitis, Ted Ray will captain the team, Manager G. A. Philpot announced. In the squad were: Ray, George Duncan, C. A. Whitcombe, Archie Compston, Aubrey Bloomer, Arthur Havers, Fred Robson, Fred Grove and H. C. Jolly.

Jack Jolly, who will take Mitchell's place, is on his way from England.

"We are aware of the present day standard of American professional golf, but we are not dismayed at it," said G. A. Philpot, team manager. "We think that, given ordinary good fortune, we have a good chance of winning the Ryder Cup and the championship."

SHOOTING AT HEALS

Wilkinson Registers Grand Total of 101—Smith Captures Spoon With 99

Varying wind and light and a shower of rain at 500 yards made shooting interesting at Heals range yesterday. Wilkinson, however, passed the century mark, while Lieutenant Smith, with a 99, and Corporal Mosedale, with a 98, showed very good progress.

112th BATTALION

	200	300	500	TT
Lieut. P. Wilkinson	34	34	33–	101
*Lieut. A. C. N. Smith	35	32	32–	99
Capt. E. R. Simonds	32	34	32–	98
Lieut. M. Bone	31	33	32–	96
Lieut. G. D'Arcy	34	32	30–	96
Sgt. L. Bone	33	30	31–	94
Cdt. R. Hayes	33	28	33–	93
Cdt. L. Denton	33	29	29–	90
Sgt. W. Hill	30	31	29–	89
Cdt. J. Rawnsley	29	29	29–	87
Cdt. F. Proctor	26	26	29–	81
Sgt. T. W. Hall	30	29	27–	86
L.-Cpl. R. Carey	28	30	27–	85
Cdt. D. Bird	32	31	22–	85
Lieut. G. Parrott	32	27	24–	83
Lieut. E. Code	32	27	25–	84
Cdt. A. Perry	31	23	29–	83
Cdt. F. Foster	26	25	23–	74
Cdt. T. Kelway	25	24	25–	74
Cdt. P. Whitehouse	30	15	14–	59
Cdt. D. Bond	14	18	5–	37

*Spoon winner.

SIR JAMES DOUGLAS

Cpl. W. Mosedale	34	30	34–	98
Cpl. D. Fraser	34	26	32–	92
Cdt. L. D'Arcy	31	30	29–	90
Cdt. B. Smith	30	28	28–	86
Cdt. A. McKeachie	28	27	27–	82
Cdt. H. Wiffen	34	19	27–	80
Cdt. E. Harrison	28	24	24–	79
Lieut. G. Terry	33	24	19–	86
Cdt. Rogers	36	17	16–	69

SATURDAY'S PROGRAMME

The shooting next Saturday will be for the trophy presented by the Royal Military College for competition among the various cadet units of the Dominion. The 112th has entered six teams of four men each, while the Sir James Douglas Cadet Corps has entered two teams. The R.M.C. Shield has been won for the last several years by the Hamilton Collegiate Cadet Corps, and this is the last year the trophy is offered for competition.

Shooting will be at 200, 300 and 500 yards, one compulsory sighting shot and five shots on score at each range.

Frank Troch Captures Trapshooting Title

EUGENE, Ore., May 28.—Frank M. Troch, of Portland, added the Grand Pacific divisional amateur championship title to the list of honors he has won in trapshooting by winning the second annual trap meet, which ended here today. The final event was a 200-target shoot in which Troch, George Young, of Tacoma, Washington state champion, and Ray Glass, Eugene, tied for first place.

The Sons of Canada intermediate lacrosse team will hold a practice tomorrow night at 6:15 sharp in the High School grounds. All players wishing to try out as well as the following players are asked to be on hand: Kennedy, Taylor, Russell, Bissell, Chapman, Shade, Oliver, Gibson, Plater, Nicol, Bryant, Cann, Collier, Basso and Noel.

Tommy Milton Returns To Automobile Racing

SPEEDWAY, Indianapolis, May 28.—Tommy Milton, who at thirty-three retired from the automobile racing game with more laurels than any other driver in the world, returned to the game tonight and became a certain starter in the 500-mile race Monday. Cliff Durant, the young sportsman and financier, who was to have driven Milton's Detroit special, is in a hospital threatened with pneumonia and unable to qualify. Milton, who registered as the relief driver with no intention of being at the wheel, was forced into the time trials.

GEORGE JAY WILL KEEP JUNIOR CUP

Winners Finish One Point in Front of Oaklands—Bonita Johnson, Wins 50 Yards Girls' Under Eight Event

Bonita Johnson, running in the colors of the Burnside School, won the fifty yards for girls under eight at the Willows Park on Friday. Clive Chisholm, of Bank Street and Mary Loudon, of Victoria West were second and third respectively.

The ownership of the Junior Challenge Cup was undecided until this event had been run off, but the result had no bearing on the standing of the schools in the race for the coveted silverware.

George Jay School with seven points will hold the trophy for the next year. The standing of the first three schools follows:

George Jay School, seven.
Oaklands School, six.
Spring Ridge School, six.

SAILOR INSTITUTES WILL HOLD MEETING

Annual General Meeting of Victoria Seamen's Institutes on Tuesday—Do Good Work

The annual general meeting of the Victoria Seamen's Institutes will be held at the Sailors' Club, Esquimalt, at 8 o'clock on Tuesday evening.

In announcing the meeting last night, Colonel A. W. R. Wilby, Agent of Marine, who will preside at the gathering, expressed the hope that all who are interested in the work of the Institutes will attend.

For years now the institutes have quietly been doing an enormous amount of good work in behalf of sailors visiting this port, and it is desired that the high standard be maintained. The citizens of Victoria, with the reputation and interests of the port at heart, are requested to lend their support.

Los Angeles' Water Supply Is Dynamited

LOS ANGELES, May 28.—Los Angeles city officials announced today their intention of appealing to Governor C. C. Young for state militia to protect the city's aqueduct which runs through Owens Valley, 200 miles north of here, where two sections of the long water course which supplies the metropolis, have been dynamited in the last twenty-four hours.

BISHOP, Inyo County, Cal., May 28.—An explosion, apparently caused by a charge of dynamite, did considerable damage to the steel flow line of the Los Angeles aqueduct leading from the Big Pine power house, south of here, about midnight last night.

REVELSTOKE PULLET BREAKS EGG RECORD

REVELSTOKE, B.C., May 28.—Measuring nine inches in circumference the long way, and seven inches around the centre, and weighing five ounces, a White Leghorn pullet, belonging to Alf. Grauer, of this city, laid an egg several days ago that has established a local, if not a provincial record for size. When opened the egg was found to contain three full sized yolks.

The remarkable feature of the hen's achievement lies in the fact that she has been laying eggs practically this size since she was five months old. She has never been known to lay an average sized egg.

Ontario May Ask for Telephone Commission

OTTAWA, May 28.—It was reported today that R. A. Reid, counsel for the Ontario Government, in the Bell Telephone rates case, may ask the Dominion Government to appoint a Royal Commission to make a searching inquiry into the whole financial structure and prospects, past, present and future, of the Bell Telephone Company. If such a commission were appointed, its findings and recommendations would be submitted to the Board of Railway commissioners in due course.

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LONDON READY TO GREET LINDBERGH

One Hundred Thousand Spectators Are Expected at Croydon Aerodrome This Afternoon

LONDON, May 28.—Londoners are determined not to be behind Parisians in their enthusiasm in greeting Captain Chas. Lindbergh, when he lands at Croyden Aerodrome. He is expected to reach there about 5:30 tomorrow evening. The airdrome authorities expect fully 100,000 spectators; at least they have prepared and roped off extra ground space to accommodate that number.

Derby week has drawn enormous crowds to the Metropolis and all are eager for a close-up view of the hero of the hour and the "Spirit of St. Louis."

Countless thousands will watch for the monoplane with its escort of Royal Air Force craft, passing over Folkestone, Hythe, Ashford, Tonbridge, Seven Oaks, Westerham, Kentey and Purley, which is the indicated route.

Captain Lindbergh's friends in London will urge him to prolong his stay if possible, beyond Thursday, but the Lord Mayor of Manchester is already among those disappointed, having been informed by the American Embassy that Lindbergh would be unable to accept an invitation to that city owing to the shortness of his visit.

An extra event in the already crowded Tuesday's programme is the presentation to Captain Lindbergh of a gold cup by The Daily Mail, commemorating the flight.

A reception by the King is the outstanding item of a long list of engagements covering almost every minute of his few days' stay in England.

AT BRUSSELS

BRUSSELS, May 28.—A royal welcome awaited Captain Charles Lindbergh, who flew from Paris to Brussels today. Within two hours after he brought the "Spirit of St. Louis" down on Belgian soil, King Albert had received him at the palace, showered congratulations upon him for his conquest of the Atlantic and pinned on his coat the insignia of Knight of the Order of Leopold.

A little later in the afternoon he was presented with the highly-coveted gold medal of the Royal Aero Club, an honor that only five other airmen, all Belgian citizens, have received.

The American airman was escorted all the way from Paris by a flotilla of French airplanes, and was met at the border by two squadrons of Belgian army planes.

James C. Dunn, the American Charge d'Affaires, and Henri Jasper, the Belgian Premier, met him. Within the next two hours he had not only been received by the King and royal family, but had shaken hands with most of the members of the Cabinet and several ambassadors.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—Award of the Distinguished Flying Cross to Captain Lindbergh, New York-to-Paris flyer, was approved today by President Coolidge.

DETROIT, May 28.—Captain Charles Lindbergh will sail for home about June 16, on an American warship, tendered by President Coolidge.

Such was the substance of a cablegram received here yesterday by Mrs. Evangeline Lodge Lindbergh, the flyer's mother, she announced.

The cable stated that Lindbergh will sail for home immediately after his tour of Europe.

San Francisco Shaken By Short, Sharp Quake

SAN FRANCISCO, May 28.—A tremblor of short duration but jolting intensity was felt today through the San Francisco Bay region and the San Mateo Peninsula. Its centre was estimated to be thirty-five miles distant. The shock was felt at 9:32 o'clock, and appeared immediately over, on the seismograph of Prof. Perry Byerly at University of California, at Berkeley. It was shown to have continued four minutes.

Caluculations of Father J. S. Ricard, meteorologist at the University of Santa Clara, estimated the quake may have centred near the lower end of Sanmateo Peninsula, south of San Francisco. He said that due to the absence of preliminary tremblors, he judged the shock to have been local in character. No damage other than the breaking of a few dishes was reported.

St. Paul's Cathedral Organist Drops Dead

LONDON, May 28.—Charles MacPherson, noted organist of St. Paul's Cathedral, dropped dead tonight in Virginia Station in the presence of his wife and other relatives who were with him. He had resided for nearly fifty years in his home in Amen Court, near the cathedral.

Charles MacPherson was born in Edinburgh in 1870. He was an honorary member of the American Guild of Organists, organist of St. Paul's Cathedral since 1916, and president of the Royal College of Organists, 1920-22.

Daughters of the Nile Honor Victoria Woman

SPOKANE, May 28.—Appointment of chairman of committees of the Supreme Temple, Daughters of the Nile, was announced here today by Mrs. H. G. Cramar, of Buffalo, N.Y., newly installed supreme queen of the order. They include Mrs. Nellie Brown, Victoria, B.C., jurisprudence committee.

Screen Executive in Air Dash Here to View Film Schooner Lirio de Agua

With American motion picture companies rivals for possession of the few remaining vessels of her type on the Coast, the Lirio de Agua, famous two-masted schooner, under seizure here now by the customs on a charge of violating customs liquor regulations, was the prize sought by Mr. Edward Ebbley, Metro-Goldwyn executive, of Culver City, in a thrilling airplane dash to this city from Vancouver yesterday.

Yesterday afternoon Major Don MacLaren, D.S.O., M.C., D.F.C., was taxi-ing in to shore after a flight over Vancouver Harbor in the HS2-L flying boat operated by his company, the Pacific Airways, Limited.

As he approached shore Major MacLaren, one of the allies' greatest pilots in the war, was hailed by two strangers.

"Will you fly me to Victoria right away?" one of them (Mr. Ebbley) shouted.

"I certainly will," Major MacLaren sang out in reply.

Mr. Ebbley and his companion were promptly fitted out with flying coats, helmets and goggles. Satisfactory terms were arranged and they stepped aboard the seaplane.

Exactly one hour afterwards they landed in Victoria Harbor, after the plane had bucked a strong head wind on the way across.

Mr. Ebbley hurried ashore with his companion and Major MacLaren and his assistant pilot stood by the plane.

Even at this point Major MacLaren was almost completely in the dark as to the mission of his passengers, so hurriedly had the trip been arranged. Conversation in the air was, of course, impossible over the roar of the 430-horsepower Liberty engine.

But when Mr. Ebbley returned the mystery was cleared up.

His company, the Metro-Goldwyn, wants a schooner for use in the making of a picture in California. And the company wants that schooner quickly.

There is said to be only one or two of the type desired available along the length of the North Pacific Coast, and the Lirio de Agua is one of them.

In Vancouver Mr. Ebbley realized that he had no time to lose. He had to inspect the ship before carrying on with his negotiations. The seaplane offered him the only opportunity of going over the schooner by daylight yesterday. So Mr. Ebbley grasped that opportunity.

Thus it is possible that the Lirio will will once more be featured in motion picture films, as she was years ago, until more lucrative fields beckoned her away from the camera lenses.

The Lirio has had a romantic career. She has been in the spotlight in North Pacific waters ever since she arrived here about four years ago, with no cargo, about a pint or two of fresh water, practically no food aboard, and with fuel oil for engines all but gone. She was long overdue and a thick coating of barnacles sheathed her sides.

In the Spring of 1925 the Lirio cleared from here for San Jose, Guatemala, with a cargo of 5,550 cases of liquor. On May 9 of that year she returned to this port and was boarded at the Quarantine Station by Special Customs Officer George Norris, who placed her under arrest for allegedly violating the Customs regulations.

The department charged that the Lirio had never gone to her avowed destination and that she had transferred liquor from her cargo to another vessel on the West Coast of Vancouver Island.

Statements in the log book and admissions by the crew confirmed the charges, officials of the department asserted, and the Lirio was ordered forfeited by the Minister of Customs.

Her owners refused to accept the decision and the case was brought before the Exchequer Court in September of last year. The action was stood over to a later date and a hearing is still pending. Other claims were filed against the vessel subsequently.

Now Mr. Ebbley is negotiating with the Prudential Company, of Vancouver, trustees for her owners in bankruptcy, for purchase of the vessel, providing the company can come to terms with the Customs and that the present legal snarl can be straightened out.

And thus it seems possible that the colorful little schooner will continue her picturesque career before the clicking motion picture cameras once more.

NO WORD RECEIVED FROM QUAKE AREA

WASHINGTON, May 28.—Cansu province, in the "wild west" of China, was probably the centre of the severe earthquake recorded last Sunday by seismographs on three continents, in the opinion of coast survey experts, who made their calculations after a study of their charts and records.

Coincident with this announcement today the National Geographic Society recalled that in December, 1920, an earthquake in the same area destroyed more than 100,000 lives. It was some time before news of that catastrophe reached the outside world.

Thus far there has ben no word from the province indicating it had again been hit by earthquakes.

Earl of Portsmouth Visits Wyoming Ranch

SHERIDAN, Wyo., May 28.—The Earl of Portsmouth, better known as Oliver Wallop, Big Horn rancher, returned today to his home on Little Goose Creek here.

Lady Portsmouth stopped off at Chicago, where she will visit for a few days. Within a few weeks the Wallops will be visited by Viscountess Lymington, wife of their son, who returned from Europe with them.

The earl, who punched cattle in Wyoming hills thirty years ago and with his own hands laid out the beautiful ranch which is now the centre of the noted Big Horn colony, said that he was glad to be back in his old home.

"It will always be home to me," he told the friends who greeted him.

Damages Awarded in Action for Slander

VANCOUVER, B.C., May 28.—In default of appearance and defence, an interlocutory judgment has been signed in Supreme Court against Charles F. McDuffe, constable in the employ of the Vancouver Harbor Board, in favor of Colin McLean, former superintendent of No. 1 grain elevator, Vancouver, who claims damages for alleged slander. Amount of the damages will be assessed later.

Vancouver Police Are Looking for Incendiary

VANCOUVER, May 28.—Police are searching for an unidentified person, who, on Friday, at 10 p.m. threw a lighted lantern through a window of the home of A. J. Malacord, 743 Pender Street East. Oil from the lantern spilled on the floor and ignited. Only prompt discovery of the blaze prevented a serious fire.

"Good morning, sir," began the youth, pleasantly. "I wanted to see you about Gwenda."

"Well, what about her?" demanded the father of the girl in not a very encouraging tone.

"I want to marry her."

"Want to marry my daughter? That's a good one. What on earth gave you that idea, eh?"

"Now now," soothed the bold young suitor, who seeing defeat in the offing, wanted a little revenge for himself, "you're prejudiced against the poor girl, but she's all right, really."

Bush Fire Raging

PASADENA, Cal., May 28.—One home is reported burned in a brush fire raging over several acres in the Oneonta Hills inside the city limits this afternoon. Several hundred men are fighting the flames.

AFTER THE STORM

There had been a quarrel. Everybody could see that the minute they entered the tram. The woman sat with tightly compressed lips, her hands gripping her umbrella firmly. The man sat glowering at the advertisements opposite him.

Then came a dead silence as the tram halted to set down a passenger.

Into the silence came the woman's thin, angry voice:

"If it wasn't for me you'd be the biggest fool in London!"

Then for the first time the man grinned, and the other passengers joined in with him.

Wholesale Row

(Revised May 26, 1927)

EGGS	
Fresh Extras, doz.	.36
Fresh Firsts, doz.	.36
Pullets, Extras, doz.	.30
BUTTER	
Best, cartons	.43
Prints, No. 2	.41
Dairy solids	.37
Dairy prints	.38
CHEESE	
B.C. large, lb.	.21
B.C. Twins, lb.	.21½
B.C. Triplets, lb.	.22
Alberta solids, lb.	.28
Alberta Stiltons, lb.	.30
Ontario solids, lb., new	.24
Ontario Twins, lb.	.24
Ontario Triplets, lb., new	.25½
Metured	
Ontario Stiltons, dept. make, lb.	.28
	.29
LARD	
Pure Lard—Tierces basis, per lb.	.19
Compound—Tierces basis, per lb.	.16
MEAT	
Beef, No. 1 Steers	.18½
Beef, No. 1 Cows	.17
Lamb	.21
Lard	.20
Veal	.18 .20
Bacon	.32 .43
Mutton	.23
Hams	.32 .34
Chickens	.35 .41
Fowl	.35 .38
Pork	.18
SUGAR	
B.C. Refinery—	
White, per hundred	6.90
Yellow, per hundred	6.40

FEED	100 lbs.	Per Ton
Barley	$2.30	$44.00
Cracked Barley	2.40	46.00
Corn	2.80	50.00
Cracked Corn	2.70	52.00
Feed Cornmeal	2.70	52.00
Oats	2.40	46.00
Oats, ground	2.50	48.00
Scratch Food	2.50	48.00
Poultry Mash	2.60	50.00
Marvel Egg Mash	2.70	52.00

FLOUR		Per Sk. 49 lbs.
Snowflake		$2.60
Purity		2.60
B. & K. Flour		2.60
Five Roses		2.60
Maple Leaf		2.60
Royal Standard		2.50
B. & K. Pastry		2.50
Whole Wheat		2.50
Quaker Flour, per bbl.	$10.40	

FRUITS		
Apples—		
O.K. Newton		3.00
Winesaps		3.00
Bananas, uncrated		.09
Bananas, crated		.10
Cocoanuts, per doz.		1.50
Grapefruit, Florida	5.00	5.50
Grapefruit, Cal.	5.00	5.50
Lemons, case		5.75
Oranges, case		5.75
Oranges—Navels	5.00	6.00

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Methodist Beginning In Victoria Observed At Special Services

Metropolitan Church Will Commemorate Notable Event in History of Victoria Nearly Seventy Years Ago, When First Missionaries Arrived

Recollections of Organization of Church Amid Great Difficulties

FEW indeed are the landmarks in Victoria that remain to connect the history of the early days when the beginnings of the religious history of the city were laid by the enterprising pioneers. At that early period the Anglican and Roman Catholic churches laid the foundation of their present work, and in 1860 the Methodist pioneers dedicated to the worship of God the first Free Church to be built in the city. Victoria was then but a small town, and but few remain in the city today who knew the little town of 3,000 inhabitants. Times change institutions, people and names pass out of memory, but the spirit of men goes marching on, and that such is the case is evidenced by the fact that today Metropolitan United Church will be filled by a worshipful congregation reminding themselves of the sacrifice, faith and generosity of pioneers and their successors which mode possible the splendid work of God being carried on in one of the religious institutions of the city.

In February, 1859, the Methodist Church possessed nothing on the Coast except the determination and enthusiasm of a few missionaries; now it possesses one of the most powerful and largest organizations dedicated to the service of God in the Province. In the beautiful Metropolitan United Church of Victoria it has the finest church edifice in the city and one of the finest on the Pacific Coast. The church's work and influence is felt wherever men and women have settled, and it has become a great power in the land.

FIRST FOREIGN WORK

The sending of missionaries to the Pacific Coast was the first "foreign" missionary undertaking of the Wesleyan Missionary Society of Canada, and the decision made in the Autumn of 1858 to undertake the work was due in part to the foresight of the general missionary secretary, Rev. Enoch Wood, and to the appeals sent to him from Victoria by Mr. J. T. Pidwell. The four men chosen to make the distant journey from Eastern Canada were Rev. Ephraim Evans, D.D., Rev. Edward White, Rev. Ebenezer Robson and Rev. Arthur Browning. They arrived at Victoria on Thursday, February 10, 1859, after their long trip from the East, via New York, Panama, San Francisco and Portland. Accompanying them were Mrs. Evans, Mrs. White and two children; Miss Woodman, Mrs. Wood's sister, and Miss Evans, sister of Rev. Dr. Evans.

MISSIONARIES' ARRIVAL

The first services of these pioneers were held on Sunday, February 13, 1859, in the large rooms of the old Victoria Courthouse, Doctor Evans preaching in the morning and Rev. Edward White in the evening. These were not actually the first Methodist services held in the Province, for in September of the previous year Rev. John Devore, pioneer residing elder of the Puget Sound District, and Rev. Harlin Rhodes ascended the Fraser River as far as Fort Langley, and on returning Mr. Rhodes preached in a tent in Victoria on Friday, September 17, to about twenty people. On the following evening, Rev. J. J. Moore, colored, preached in the shell of Mr. Pidwell's building then being built on Douglas Street, at the corner of Humboldt, and on Sunday, September 19, they held a Methodist love feast at 9:30 o'clock in the morning and afternoon on the street, and Mr. Rhodes preached in the evening.

In a few weeks following their arrival the four missionaries were distributed to their several fields—Doctor Evans to Victoria, Rev. Mr. White to New Westminster, Rev. Arthur Browning to Nanaimo, and Rev. Ebenezer Robson to Fort Hope, on the Fraser River.

Rev. Dr. Evans lost no time in starting a movement for the erection of church and parsonage, and on Thursday evening, March 31, 1859, a public meeting was held in the police barracks for the purpose of adopting measures to secure the erection of the first church for the use of the Methodists.

DONATED CHURCH SITE

Three lots were donated by the Hudson's Bay Company through Sir James Douglas, Chief Factor and Governor of the Colony, at the corner of Broad and Pandora Streets, and the following gentlemen were appointed to act as a committee, with power to add to their numbers, to devise means of raising funds: Rev. Dr. Evans, Rev. Mr. Moore, Captain Dodd, Captain Reid, Mr. King, Mr. Pidwell, Mr. Trounce, Mr. Thain and Mr. Cooper.

On Tuesday, May 3, 1859, the committee met in the Treasury Department, Government Street, and decided that a portion of the funds should be raised for the erection of a parsonage. On July 2 the plans for a church were approved by this committee, and tenders for the construction of the building were called for.

The foundation-stone of the church was laid by the Governor, Sir James Douglas, on August 15, 1859, and on May 20, 1860, the new church was dedicated. The parsonage in the rear of the church, and facing Broad Street, was built during the same time.

The first quarterly official board was held at the parsonage on March 5, 1860, where there were present Rev. Doctor Evans and Brothers Cooper, Holt, Fox, Elford, Sparrow, Ridwell and Calder. Mr. Calder was elected recording secretary. The congregation of the new church grew rapidly, and in a short time other names, still familiar to many of the older residents of Victoria, appeared in the quarterly official board records, including that of Mr. John Jessop, Mr. J. E. McMillan, Mr. William McKay, Mr. David Spencer, Mr. Noah Shakespeare and Mr. James Cunningham.

METHODIST CHURCH TODAY

From the first Methodist sermon preached in Victoria by the early missionaries until now, Methodism is represented in Victoria alone by the beautiful stone Metropolitan Church on Quadra Street; the Centennial United Church, built in 1891; the Victoria West United Church, the James Bay United Church, the Belmont United Church, Fairfield United Church, and several missions, including Chinese, Indian, Japanese, and a Chinese Girls' Rescue Home. The sixty-seven years of Methodism here have been filled with progress; and the result today is a monument to the determination, tenacity, co-operation and godly spirit of the gentlemen who have been its leaders.

The Metropolitan Church, the parent Methodist church in Victoria, was built in 1890, and the following pastors have guided its destiny from that day to this: Rev. Cloverdale Watson, the first pastor; Rev. Solomon Cleaver, Rev. J. C. Speer, Rev. Elliott S. Rowe, Rev. G. K. B. Adams, Rev. T. E. Holling, Rev. G. T. Scott, Rev. H. S. Osborne and Rev. Dr. Sipprell, the present pastor.

Priests Flying From Missions in Mid-China

Rev. Father Joseph M. O'Gara, C.P., who is among the seventeen priests presumed to be in flight from scattered missionary posts in West Honan, China. He has been in China for the last three years. He has been Acting Superior of the Passionist Mission at Shenchow. Born in Ottawa in 1887, he is the youngest son of the late Martin O'Gara, Q.C., first police magistrate of the capital, and a leading member of the bar. A brother, the Rev. Edward T. O'Gara, S.J., is rector of St. Ignatius Church, Winnipeg.

Church Briefs

Salvation Army

Services at the Salvation Army Citadel today will be led by Commandant and Mrs. Jones and commanding officers. The little folks of the primary department will give a demonstration in the Citadel at eight o'clock next Thursday night. Songs, recitations, drills, a dialogue and instrumental music are on the programme. The proceeds will be used to provide suitable seats for the very small tots of the Sunday School. Boys or girls desiring to join the Life-Saving Guards, Chums or Sunbeams that paraded in uniform on May 24 can obtain full information by telephoning to Commandant Jones, 850 Cormorant Street, the only requirement being good standing in any Sunday School. A cable message was received by Commandant Jones announcing the death of his father in New Zealand, where he has resided for some time. The fellow officers, comrades and friends of the Commandant deeply sympathize with him in his loss.

Fairfield United

Rev. R. W. Lee will speak on "The Grand and Glorious Gospel" at the morning service of the Fairfield United Church. Mrs. E. Woodward will be the soloist. At the evening service Rev. Lee will speak on "Thomas, the Moody Rationalist." On Sunday, June 5, Rev. Dr. S. D. Chown, of Toronto, will preach at both morning and evening services.

New Thought Temple

Dr. A. F. Barton will speak at both services today. This morning he will speak on "New Thought, the Pathway of Victory," and in the evening he will speak on "Your Glorious Heritage." Dr. Barton will give a lecture in "Numerology" in the Temple on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, the subject being "What's in a Name?"

Centennial Church

Rev. J. P. Westman will have charge of both services in Centennial Church today. In the morning the service will be in keeping with the Ascension Day thought. The subject will be "Things Forbidden." In the evening the subject will be "Breaking Away From the Old, or Where Do We Go From Here?" This address is a message for this generation and is a challenge to the young people, who are especially invited. The choir will render a musical programme.

Theosophical Society

A lecture will be given on H. P. Blavatsky's "Isis Unveiled" by Mr. W. B. Pease tonight at 8 o'clock in the rooms of the Independent Theosophical Society, 101 Union Bank Building. Open discussion will follow the lecture.

Vancouver Preacher at Cathedral

The Ven. F. C. C. Heathcote, Archdaecon of Vancouver, is announced as the preacher at today's services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. in Christ Church Cathedral. The eight o'clock service this morning will be only service of Holy Communion in the Cathedral today.

Summer School Lecturers

Among the lectures secured for the Diocesan Summer School to take place in Victoria from July 4-8 under the auspices of the Anglican Church are the Rev. Cyril Bickersteth, C.R., and the Rev. H. H. Gowen, D.D. Dr. Gowen will speak on the "History of Religion" at evening sessions of the Summer School. Father Bickersteth will conduct the devotional and Bible study period each morning.

Canon Vernon Will Speak at St. John's Church This Morning

The Rev. Canon Vernon will preach at St. John's Church at this morning's service. Canan Vernon is the general secretary of the Social Service Commission of the Church of England in Canada, and will speak of the important work that is being done in the line of social service in the Dominion.

The Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick, rector of St. John's Church, will preach at the evening service, which will be preceded by an organ recital given by Mr. G. J. Burnett. This will commence at 7:10 o'clock.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

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"THE DOOR THAT NEVER CLOSES"

Anthem, "The King of Love My Shepherd Is" .....(Shelley)

7:30 P.M.

"THE FORGE OF GOD"

Anthem, "My God, Is Any Hour So Sweet" .....(Briggs)

Solo, "Babylon" .....(Watson)
Miss Merle North

Midweek Meeting, Thursday Evening This Week.

METROPOLITAN TO CELEBRATE

Anniversary to Be Conducted by Rev. Dr. W. J. Sipprell—Choir Will Be Composed of Members of Choir of 1890

MUSICAL PROGRAMME AT EVENING SERVICE

The Union of the Congregational, Presbyterian and Methodist denominations of Canada in June, 1926, forming the United Church of Canada, now the largest Protestant church in the Dominion, meant amalgamations and changes throughout the various Provinces, which were manifest to a considerable degree in Victoria. There has been a union of congregations, a change of name and a bringing together of interests that have decidedly advanced the work of the Kingdom of God.

The Methodist Church in this city at the time of union was represented by seven churches, together with two Oriental Missions, and Indian Mission and an Oriental Mission Home. These recorded a membership of 2,019, representing 1,115 families and 5,208 persons. The property value of these churches and missions was over $300,000, and their combined annual budgets amounted to more than $60,000. The union which added to these churches the First Presbyterian Church, the First Congregational Church and the St. Columba Presbyterian Church, makes the strength of the United Church in Victoria to be represented by approximately 3,450 members, 1,750 families, 8,600 persons, with property values of $525,000 and an annual budget of $100,000. The Sunday School enrollment is nearly 3,500.

Metropolitan United Church, under the pastorate of Rev. Dr. Sipprell, who is completing his seventh year of leadership, is well to the front among the progressive churches of the city. All its various organizations are under capable management. The Sunday School, with Mr. W. H. Smith as superintendent; the Women's Missionary Society, with Mrs. A. Read as president; the Ladies' Aid, with Mrs. Watson as its president; the Men's Brotherhood is under the leadership of Mr. R. J. Smith, and the choir directed by Mr. George A. Downard, with Mr. Edward Parsons as organist, whose sympathetic work at the organ adds greatly to the worshipful atmosphere of the church.

SUCCESSFUL CHOIR

The choir, the largest in the city, won distinction at the recent Musical Festival, being presented with a very beautiful shield in recognition of its splendid work as a large choir. The church, by its properties and fine accoustic properties, lends itself to the accommodation of large gatherings for the hearing of addresses from world renowned public speakers, and has had the privilege of hearing many such on several occasions, as also of listening to distinguished preachers throughout the years. Possessing the finest organ in the city, it is always in demand when great organists appear in the city, and in addition to those already mentioned, organ recitals have been given by Courboin, Vierne and others.

The strength of this church at the time of Union, 1925, was represented by upwards of 500 families, 2,500 persons, 1,030 members and a property value of over $170,000, with an annual budget of $24,518 at the present time. Though the union with the Congregational Church the property value has considerably increased.

This Union, which was not only a union in matters of properties, but also of congregations, was effected with much harmony and goodwill. Rev. A. K. McMinn, B.A., was made associate pastor with the pastor of Metropolitan, which position he filled with great acceptance for a year, when he removed to his present charge at Kelowna. The faithful group of workers in the former Congregational Church has in large measure transferred their interest to the present Metropolitan United Church and many of them are among the foremost workers in the latter body.

Miss Ada Garbutt, the deaconess of the church, has given several years of most satisfactory service, and still retains the confidence and esteem of the congregation.

SUCCESSFUL ENDEAVORS

If one were to survey the past history of this church in its own life within and its place and work in the developing life of the City of Victoria, there would be told stories of faith and heroic adventure on the part of scores of persons who meant much to the life of both church and city, but who have now passed to the great beyond, while many others one time identified with both the church and the city, have removed to other parts of the continent. However, the church is still fortunate in having several who have had a continuous relation with it for forty and fifty years. Among those still closely identified with the church for this period and maintaining their interests to some greater or less degree are: Mrs. Carne and family, Mrs. David Spencer, Sr., and family, Mrs. W. J. Pendray and family, Mrs. A. McKeown, Mrs. A. Field, Mr. and Mrs. V. Lane, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Burkholder and family, Mr. Watkins, Mr. W. H. Bone, Mr. Arthur Lee, Mr. H. McDonald, and of a somewhat more recent date one records as still active workers in official relation the names of Dr. S. E. Clemence, G. D. Christie, J. A. Grant, H. T. Knott, W. J. Keene, E. Parsons, A. Parfitt, C. E. Sonley, F. T. Stacey, W. J. Sargent, E. W. Sillington, E. E. Wescott, H. V. Jones, W. J. Spencer, all of whose families are still represented in the work of the church. There are also scores of names of other families to whom the church owes much at the present time for the most efficient and successful work it is able to carry on.

Three of the retired ministers of Methodism who have laid the church under great obligation for their splendid work in other parts of Canada, as also to some extent in this Province, worship with the congregation: Rev. H. R. Baker, M.A., Rev. James Sharp, and Rev. Geo. W. Dean.

The unique coincidence of a congregation dedicating a church in 1860 and another in 1890 both in the same month of the year is being appropriately commemorated by the Sabbath services of today, when a choir composed of members of the choir of 1890 will sing at the morning service. Dr. Sipprell will tell the story of early Victoria, and under the theme of "The Trail of the Pioneer" will relate something of the history of the church during the sixty-seven years. The link with the pioneers in Provincial affairs with the first Governor will be provided by the attendance at the service this morning of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, accompanied by Miss Mackenzie and the private secretary.

At the evening service the regular choir will provide a musical programme, closing with the "Hallelujah Chorus." Dr. Sipprell will give a brief address on "Looking Ahead."

The anniversary services will conclude on Tuesday evening with a "Pioneer Banquet" at 6:30 p.m. with Pioneer Banquet" at 6:30 o'clock with the Ladies' Aid Society of the church.

A cordial welcome is extended to pioneers and all others to attend these services.

Handsome Church Thirty-Six Years of Age

METROPOLITAN UNITED CHURCH

Christendom the World Over

A Weekly Review of Religious News

A principal of a United Church theological college, a Roman Catholic priest, a Jewish rabbi, a Baptist educationist, an Anglican clergyman, and a secretary of the United Church Religious Education Council, contributed to a very interesting and valuable symposium on "The Teaching of the Bible and Religion in the Public Schools" in a recent number of The Canadian Journal of Religious Thought. The articles constitute a cross-section of Canadian church opinion on this important question. The articles were written by a group of religionists who are agreed, as the editor points out, that "character should be the great end and aim of the educational process, and that religion is one of the greatest forces making for character," but who differ as to the wisdom and the rightness of utilizing the public schools of the land for that end.

DR. GANDIER

Dr. Alfred Gandier, principal of Knox College, Toronto, takes the practical view that in a community preponderantly Protestant there might fairly be placed in the school curriculum reading lessons from the Bible, memorization of its choicest passages, study of an outline of Old and New Testament history, and the concerted repetition of the Ten Commandments and the Lord's Prayer. Dr. Gandier even asks why, in communities that are almost wholly Protestant as many of our rural districts are, what is to prevent the essential elements of the Christian faith being taught from the New Testament? Liberty of conscience, freedom from coercion are provided for by a conscience clause for the relief of children whose parents might object. Granting that relief, the writer contends that no self-respecting community in a Christian country and where the people and the trustees are of one mind, should allow a small minority to turn it aside from what the majority hold vital to the well-being, not only of their children, but of the community and of the country.

ROMAN CATHOLIC VIEW

Rev. M. Cline, parish priest of Holy Name Church, Toronto, presents the characteristic Roman Catholic position. Religion as the first law of life is an integral part of true education; morality is only possible through religion it is the fruit of the tree. To insure ethical stability children should be trained in right religious ideas and practices, such as prayer and self-sacrifice. The pupil should learn in the classroom to be spiritual as well as intellectual. As Father Cline picturesquely put it: "To convert the school into a chilly sanctuary of the intellect where the rays of the sun are shut out from the heart while they shine upon the mind, is to starve character and personality and reduce the moral sense to zero." He is opposed to purely secular education because truth is no less religious than secular. Though the writer does not make the inference, the position he outlines naturally makes the Roman Catholic Church contend for a system of separate schools wherein religious truths and practices are essential parts of the daily curriculum.

A JEWISH RABBI

The attitude of one of the minorities is voiced by Rabbi Herbert J. Samuel, of Temple Emmanu-El, of Montreal, and associate editor of The Canadian Jewish Review. The Jews are a religious people and none give more than they to the religious training of their children. Rabbi Samuel, however, is opposed to Bible reading in the public schools. The public reading of the Bible, he claims, is valueless without the religious atmosphere and interpretation, which is a matter for denominational treatment. He objects to the child being taught in the school anything contrary to what the rabbi teaches him in his religion class. Even where there is a conscience clause, the dissenting child is placed in an unfair position, Jewish children having often been, he asserts, "victims of unregarding prejudice." Moreover, according to this Jewish exponent, the state has no interest in the religious belief of its citizens, the theory upon which it is founded being that of equality of opportunity irrespective of religious belief.

To satisfy the need for religious education, Rabbi Samuel favors as a practical measure religious instruction by each denominational group to its own children, the time table being shortened for that purpose and the use of the school buildings being allowed equitably to all groups. This is the Week-Day Church School plan with which Jews in several places in the United States co-operate.

A BAPTIST SPEAKS

Having had wide ministerial experience in Western Canada, and being now principal of Acadia University, Nova Scotia, a Baptist institution of higher learning, Dr. F. W. Patterson may be taken as voicing the views of many Canadian Baptists, as the symposium editor suggests, upon the teaching religion in the schools. To this he is strongly opposed, if religious instruction be defined as instruction in the documents and doctrines of the Christian religion. The essence of Christianity is voluntaryism, a principle which is denied when any institution of the state is used to propagate the Christian religion.

The rights of a minority should never be overridden even in the interests of religion. Even though there be a conscience clause, Dr. Patterson maintains, parents are discriminated against as taxpayers if religious teaching contrary to their convictions be given, while their children are branded as queer and probably as irreligious. He does not object, however, to the teaching of Bible history and Bible literature in the schools, provided it be not given as religious instruction. The agitation for religious teaching in the schools is charged with being a confession of the Church's fear and an evidence of her neglect. Dr. Patterson calls attention to the position taken by the Religious Education Association: "The work of religious education and training should be done by such institutions as the home, the church, and the private school, and not by the public schools nor in official connection with the public schools." It is not clear what would be the attitude of this educationist to the Week-Day Church School when related, though without official connection, to the public school.

ANGLICANS IN FAVOR

With the authority of the Church of England in Canada, as voiced by its General Synod of 1924, and as secretary of its General Board of Religious Education, Dr. R. A. Hiltz presents the attitude of this church towards religious instruction in public schools. The Synod was in favor of obtaining increased facilities in the schools in order to secure more Scripture memorization and Bible reading, and its executive council is now cooperating with the other Protestant bodies in preparing a syllabus for use under departmental direction of Scripture selections. It is recognized by this church, however, that the more formal, systematic religious instruction ultimately rests upon the church, and Dr. Hiltz quotes with approval the resolution of the Religious Education Council of Canada, of which the Church of England is a member, that "our efforts in regard to religious instruction in connection with the public schools should be directed at this stage towards the establishment of a system of instruction under church auspices, rather than as an integral part of the curriculum of the school." This is an endorsement of the Week-Day Church School plan, of which Dr. Hiltz is an enthusiastic advocate. His position is summed up thus: "To ask that the place of religion in education be recognized by the state, and that the church be given opportunity to function educationally, in co-operation with the public school, would not seem to be an unfair demand." The saying of the late Dean Hodges is quoted with approval: "Our boys and girls should come from our schools, not only with the absolute conviction that the consequence of adding two to two is four, but with a conviction, no less absolute, that the consequence of adding sin to sin is death."

FORECAST MADE

The most valuable part of Dr. Frank Langford's contribution to the symposium is this conservative summary of the generally accepted conclusions regarding the question of religious education as related to the public school systems of Canada. While there is urgent need for the teaching of the Bible and religion to public school pupils, Dr. Langford thinks it is not possible at the present time to secure the unanimous consent of the denominational groups for the inclusion of such teaching as a part of the curriculum, nor is it certain that it would be advisable to include it even if there were no opposition. The present opportunities afforded by public school regulations should be taken advantage of. Wherever the churches have co-operated in doing this, teachers, trustees and the general public have been found very appreciative. For any adequate scheme of week-day religious education a curriculum is required which selects Biblical material for its religious value and adapts it to the various grades of child life, all teaching to be given by religious people and in an atmosphere of reverence. Should the church forces seize the present opportunity, Dr. Langford forecasts an unprecedented development in the teaching of religion to the boys and girls of Canada.

"Road to China" Well

"The Road to China" is the name given to the deepest well [illegible] in Colorado. It was sunk in a test for oil and abandoned at 7,200 feet, the bottom being about one-third of a mile below sea level.

BAPTIST MEETING AT NANAIMO ON JUNE 1

Work on Vancouver Island to Be Reviewed by Speakers—Dr. Mursell, of England, to Be Present

The semi-annual meeting of the Vancouver Island Association of Baptists will be held at Nanaimo on Wednesday, June 1, it was announced yesterday. An excellent programme has been arranged for the sessions.

During the afternoon, under the general theme "Baptist Work on the Island," the Rev. E. M. Cook, of Chemainus, will give an address on "New Fields," while Rev. E. E. King, of Nanaimo, will follow with an address on "Conserving Our Resources." A discussion of the theme will follow each address.

Mrs. E. P. Millar, of Vancouver, president of the Baptist Women's Missionary Society, will speak on women's work in this Province. "Growth of the Baptists Since Confederation" will be the subject of four papers. The first will be "In the Maritime Provinces," by Mrs. O. H. Cogswell; the second will be "In Ontario and Quebec," by the Rev. F. T. Tapscott; the third, "In the Prairie Provinces," by Dr. G. Willard Litch, of Vancouver, and the fourth, "In British Columbia," by Alderman William Marchant.

At the evening session the Rev. James Strachan will deliver an address on "Prohibition—Our Responsibilities." Dr. Mursell, a noted English Baptist minister, who is at present touring Canada, will give the closing address. The Rev. Henry Knox, president of the Association, will preside over the gatherings.

Special Services at Baptist Church Today

Services of special interest will be held in the Emmanuel Baptist Church today. At the morning hour of worship the Rev. Henry Knox will preach on the subject "A Baptist Church," in which he will give a brief history of the people called Baptists. Their faith, fellowship and ministry will also be dealt with. There will be a special message for girls and boys at this service.

The evening service will include a musical programme. The choir, under the leadership of Mr. Henry McCleary, with Miss W. Scowcroft at the organ, will sing the "Te Deum," by Henry Smart; "Seek Ye the Lord," Roberts, and "Send Out Thy Light," by Gounod. Mr. Maurice Thomas will render a tenor solo, "Cast Thy Burden," by Hamblen, while a bass solo will be sung by Mr. Robert Frith, his selection being "Out of the Deep," by Marks. Rev. Henry Knox will give a brief address. The usual song service will be held in the schoolroom at the close of the service.

C.G.I.T. CAMP TO BE HELD AT BEAVER LAKE THIS SUMMER

The last meeting of the season of the Leaders' Council of the Girls' Work Board was held at the Y.M.C.A. library on Thursday evening last, when Miss Annie Fountain, Provincial Girls' Work secretary, gave a report of the National Work Board, a meeting of which was recently held in Toronto.

Miss Fountain's report contained many new suggestions for next year's activities, and expressed the hope that with the incorporation of these suggestions, the future interest and growth of the organization would be as satisfactory as has been the case this year. There are now 333 C.G.I.T. groups in British Columbia. The groups have during the year raised the sum of $2,200 for promotion purposes.

Mrs. Hammond, president of the local board, reported that plans for the annual camp at Beaver Lake were practically completed. It has been decided that camp would be opened on July 25 to August 3.

AUSTRALIAN BAND WILL BE GUESTS AT CITY TEMPLE

The Australian National Band will be guests at the evening service at the Victoria City Temple this evening. During the afternoon members of the City Temple will take the bandsmen on a sight-seeing tour, bringing them to their own homes for five o'clock tea and from thence to the evening service at the City Temple.

Dr. Davies has chosen for this evening's theme "Music, Dangerous and Divine," and a special programme of music has been prepared, with Mrs. Dowell, Vancouver and Victoria gold medalist, singing a special solo, and Mr. Frank H. Partridge also singing "If With All Your Hearts" (Mendelssohn). The choir will sing by special request Dvorak's "Going Home" and Tennyson's "Crossing the Bar" (unaccompanied).

At the morning service Dr. Davies' theme is "The Man Who Is Different," the choir singing "Like As a Hart" (Novello).

WHAT IT WAS WORTH

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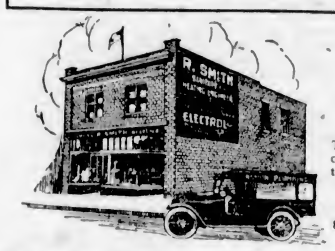

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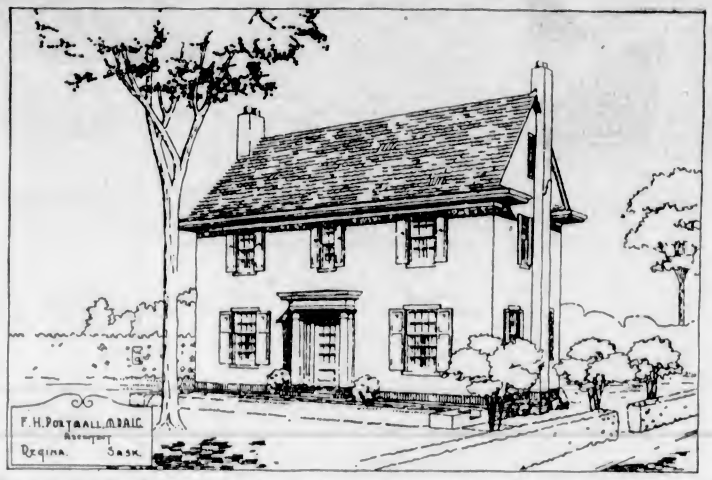

WITH persons of conservative temperament the Colonial style is forever popular. Notice the quaint charm, dignity, and restraint, as exemplified by the home shown above, which is a particularly fine rendition of the style.

The entrance, always the focal point of a Colonial exterior, is here well worthy of the study which its importance claims.

The plans are commendably simple and direct, and provide seven ample sized rooms, which, if furnished with the same restraint and good taste which characterize the exterior, would create a distinctive atmosphere of great appeal. Imagine, for instance, the furnishing opportunities which the living-room affords, with its centre fireplace, beautifully proportional windows and pastel tinted walls.

An inconsistency of plan may often be observed, in that while the front vestibule has been considered a necessity and therefore provided, no protection at all is supplied at the side of the door, where, in reality, it is usually just as desirable. Here, however, a rear entry is provided which gives access to the basement stairs, and to the hall at a spot conveniently near the kitchen door.

As does the ground floor, so the upper floor follows in general the typical Colonial style. It provides for four bedrooms, having large deep clothes closets, a hall linen closet, and a bathroom.

In accordance with the Colonial characteristic of restraint the stucco walls are finished a quiet light grey, which combines very well with the red shingle roof and cream woodwork.

This home could easily be built facing the street on a fifty-foot lot, while if turned sideways a thirty-five-foot lot would suffice.

Birch floors and hot water heating are included for an approximate cost of $7,500.

Readers desiring further information regarding the plans and specifications of this house should communicate with the architect direct. Address Mr. F. H. Portnall, Regina, Sask.

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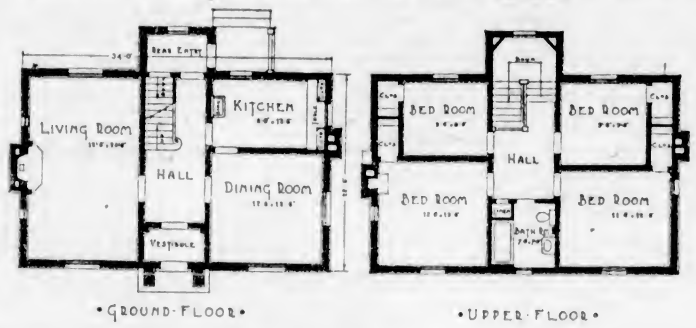

The Ups and Downs of Stairways

There is no heroine in this story, but there might be a hero. It all depends upon whether you are one of the happy irresponsibles who parks his shoes at the front door when he goes up the stairway late at night. You are a hero if you have to go up a squeaking stairway.

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WHY STAIRS ARE DANGEROUS

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Perhaps the most obvious thing about a stairway is how easily it may be climbed. You probably couple steepness with difficulty in climbing, but these two things do not necessarily go together. A steep stair properly designed may take less effort to mount than one that has a very low ascent. It is all a matter of proportion—the proportion of width of tread to height of riser. Make the tread twelve inches wide and the riser four inches high and you will waste what energy you have left after climbing such a stair in curses on the designer who let you build that way. That twelve-inch tread with an eight-inch riser may be a partial substitute for physical culture exercise, but if you do it enthusiastically fifty times a day with a baby in one arm you may have to go to the hospital to recover, or else you may become too strong for your little house.

PROPORTION IS THE RIGHT THING

Architects have found a simple rule of thumb that applies very well to stairs in homes. It goes like this: Take twice the height of the riser plus the width of the tread—from nosing to nosing—and the result must lie between twenty-four and twenty-five. Thus for a seven-inch riser we get 2x7 equals 14, 25—14 equals 11. That is the preferred width of tread. If a 10-inch tread is wanted, then 25 minus 10 equals 15. Fifteen divided by 2 equals 7½. A 10-inch tread and a 7½-inch riser, that is a good combination.

For the attic stairway it may be necessary to mount quickly, using an eight-inch or nine-inch riser. Then the tread should be nine-inch or seven-inch, respectively.

Have the treads and the risers all of the same width and height throughout the flight. If there is the slightest difference, then take out an accident policy.

It is remarkable how much a landing helps to make a stairway easier to climb. Some city laws require landings midway in the story heights of buildings, but it is not always easy to work a landing into a stairway for a home. If you can get a landing in without wasting space, then just consider yourself so much better off.

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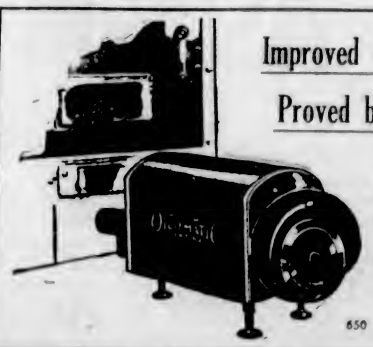

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A London Letter

Tulips Flaunt Their Loveliness in Hyde Park Over Protest of Market Gardeners Who Objected to Dutch Gift—Canadian "At Home" Given by Lord Byng Proves Interesting Event—Theatres Are Reviewed—Plays Worth Seeing

By ELIZABETH MONTIZAMBERT

The few days of Summer heat have made the parks and gardens bloom into incredible loveliness. Walking through St. James' Park a few days ago, I passed banks of purple iris of unbelievable beauty, and I hear that the tulips in the north side of Hyde Park are flaunting their loveliness in mute protest against the hostile English market gardeners who objected to the action of the park authorities in accepting them as a gift from the Dutch bulb growers. Down at Kew, bits of the sky seem to have fallen on the green turf wherever the bluebells are carpeting the ground, and any road leading into London is sure to be punctuated by cyclists pedaling homeward with huge bunches of bluebells tied to their handlebars.

The most interesting event of the week, from the Canadian point of view, was the address on "The Canadian at Home," given by Lord Byng of Vimy, to the members of the Royal Colonial Institute. It followed a dinner at which the guests included, besides Lord and Lady Byng of Vimy, the Earl and Countess of Clarendon, the Earl and Countess of Strafford, the Lady Mary Byng and Mr. R. C. Byng, Sir Colin Rees-Davies, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Redford, Mrs. St. John Ervine, Commissioner D. C. Lamb, Sir George Boughey, Sir Hamar and Lady Greenwood; the Hon. William McCormack, Premier of Queensland; and Sir Gilbert Parker.

Lord Byng's speech was of the the Canadians have learned to know and appreciate, full of wisdom, of vision and of sympathy. He said that "we were busy making ourselves into a nation, and that we wanted no interference in the task; but he also said that wherever he and Lady Byng had been in Canada they had found a great respect for the throne and a love for the country of their origin.

Many of the audience went on to the reception given by the Secretary of State for the Colonies and Mrs. Amery on behalf of His Majesty's Government, to meet representatives of the colonies, protectorates and mandated territories at the Colonial Office Conference. The reception was, as usual, held in the London Museum, that lends itself so admirably to entertainments of this kind. The scene was a very brilliant one, as the guests slowly mounted the great staircase, under the gaze of the chocolate-colored caryatides that surround the roof.

NOTABLES ATTEND

Among the large number present were the Duke and Duchess of Atholl, Viscount and Viscountess Burnham, Earl and Countess Buxton, Canon and Mrs. Carnegie, Viscount and Viscountess Cave, Lady Goold Adams, the Earl and Countess of Clarendon, Major Walter Elliot, Lieutenant-Colonel and Mrs. A. Hamilton-Gault, Major and the Hon. Mrs. Ralph Glyn, Dr. and Mrs. Haden Guest, Captain and Mrs. H. P. Holt, Sir Samuel and Lady Maud Hoare, Dr. and Mrs. L. J. Lemieux, Mr. Noxon, Mr. and Lady Evelyn Malcolm, the Dowager Countess of Minto (looking very handsome in a brocade dress with wonderful jewels), Mr. and Mrs. Ben Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Pauline, the Dowager Lady Shaughnessy, Earl and Countess Stanhope, Sir Herbert and Lady Stanley, Air Marshal Sir Hugh and Lady Trenchard, the Hon. Simon and Mrs. Rodney, and Lieutenant-Colonel and Mrs. N. Porteous.

Mrs. Amery, looking very well after her holiday in Cornwall with her children, was dressed in a charming frock of pale pink, and received her guests with the charming manner which has made her one of the most popular hostesses in London. Lancaster House is an admirable place for entertaining, and many of the guests were inspecting with interest the quaint Elizabethan and Georgian costumes as well as the court robes of our own day, which were on view in some of the museum rooms.

An extremely interesting exhibition is now taking place at the Beaux Arts Galleries, where Mr. Reginald F. Wells is showing an exquisite collection of Soon pottery. Mr. Wells has had the rather unique experience of having made a name for himself as a sculptor of charming statuettes and bronze groups before he turned, some twenty years ago, to the potters' art and led that great movement in modern ceramic creation that has brought English pottery into the front rank. In the present exhibition Mr. Wells shows a comprehensive collection of both bronzes and pottery. His bowls, jars and vases have an exquisite form combined with a beautiful harmony in color and glaze. Some of his best pieces have already been bought for the Victoria and Albert Museum.

THE LONDON THEATRE

A new play by Mr. H. M. Harwood has commanded attention. His latest production, "The Transit of Venus," is an interesting attempt to paint the age-old antagonism between tradition and innovation. His protagonists are a High Commissioner in some outpost of Empire, whose peace is troubled by the agent of an Anglo-American syndidate who wanted to develop the country of the Khan Aghaba, who, having traveled in Europe and marked the results of "development," will have none of it in his country.

Into this thorny situation comes Miss Athone Seyler in the character of the predatory female, dragging a reluctant husband (Nigel Playfair) at her chariot wheel in pursuit of one of Sir Evelyn Markham's A.D.C.'s, who had escaped to the desert from her wiles. Mr. Nicholas Hannen gave a quietly competent study of the military secretary in love with the H.C.'s pretty and intelligent daughter, but his great gifts were wasted in the part.

The most striking thing in the play was the acting of Mr. Raymond Massey as the Khan. He gave the simple, dignified speech in which the Arab chief explains his choice of the power to be alone and to be silent, as against the doubtful blessings conferred by machinery, with a restraint and beauty which made his performance the most outstanding thing in the play. Ever since this young Canadian actor came to London his work has attracted attention. Hitherto he has only had comparatively minor parts where it has been all the more difficult to make his ability and personality felt, but the critics have been so consistently appreciative that it may safely be prophesied that before long he will have a part written specially for him that will give scope for his undoubted ability.

Miss Florence McHugh is another Canadian whose work is being noticed over here. The other night I went in to see a performance given by the New Arts Theatre Club, when this pretty young actress from Calgary appeared in no fewer than six numbers of an intimate revue compiled by Herbert Farjeon, with the assistance of Mr. A. P. Herbert and Messrs. Harold Scott and Beverley Nichols.

ANOTHER PLAY

This week "Pic-Nic" has been replaced by "The Lady of Belmont," an interesting attempt on the part of that well-known playwright, author and critic, Mr. St. John Ervine, to reconstruct the life of the characters in "The Merchant of Venice" ten years after the conclusion of the famous trial. None of Shakespeare's characters seem to have "lived happily ever after." Bassanio has turned into a sorry subject, who neither pays his debts nor is true to his wife. Nerissa and Gratiano squabble eternally. Jessica, as one might have expected from the episode of the ring, has turned into a perfect baggage, and the only three people who seem to have grown in grace are Portia, Shylock and Lorenzo, who at least is as devoted as ever to life. Personally, I enjoyed every moment of the play, which was well acted, well produced, with the most charming of stage settings. In fact, the Arts Theatre Club is to be congratulated on the wisdom of its choice.

The club has recently been organized with delightful premises in Great Newport Street, just around the corner from the Leicester Square tube station, with the aim of creating a social rendezvous for people interested in the theatre, and to found and support its own theatre within the club premises, with the idea of promoting a high standard of dramatic art and entertainment. Unluckily, admission to this theatre is not open to the general public, and as most of the members belong to the profession and can only attend the performance when they are not acting themselves, attendance is not always in proportion to the interest of the plays given; so one can only hope that in future this rule may be relaxed.

Another Chauve Souris has come to town with Balieff the same as ever, speaking no better English and arousing just as much laughter by his witticisms of which the public never seem to tire. The new programme is just as beautiful as the old. You either like the Russian entertainment or you don't. I do, so I counsel everyone who can, to go to the Vaudeville Theatre and see "The Pastrycook's Wife" and the "Eighteenth Century Fan," and listen to the haunting music of the Russian Barcarolle and the burlesque parody of Traviata, and "Round the Hay Wain." "Love in the Ranks" is the only item kept from last year, thought I seem to remember the songs of the Black Hussars from some previous performance. They are both extremely good, and no one coming over should miss this most attractive performance.

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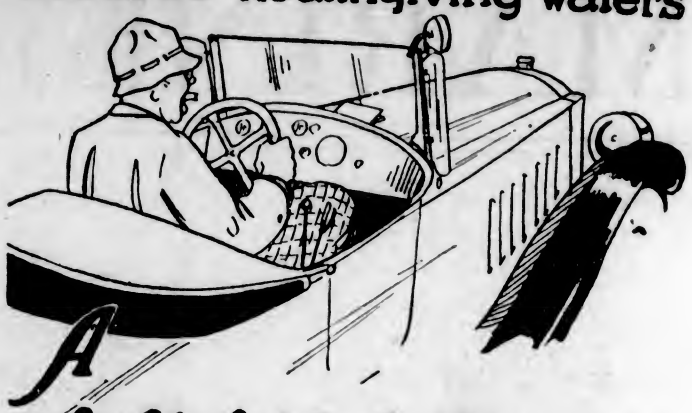

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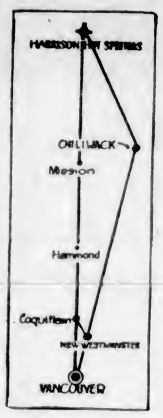

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TORONTO, May 28. — Pictures painted by Australan children and brought here by Dr. Hans C. Kollar, have, during the past two weeks, been viewed by several hundred Canadian school children at The Grange, Toronto. They are the colorful fruit of an experiment in art education which was fathered thirty years ago by Franz Cizech, and which endeavors, by giving the childish imagination free rein, to bring forth every creative impulse. Every child thinks in pictures and here we see how he expresses these thoughts when given the maximum of plastic material and the minimum of instruction.

Of course these pictures must be judged as the results of an experiment and not as works of art; but in viewing them one is inclined to forget this fact and to marvel at their decorative quality and at the fine sense of design and color displayed in many of them. There are a score which would make delightful murals for a nursery; others which might brighten the pages of some fantastic fairy tale.

Parents and teachers, as well as the younger visitors, find their imaginations stimulated by the imaginations of these children, thousands of miles away.

"We do not expect all the children who paint in this Vienna studio to develop into great artists," explained Dr. Kollar. "That is not our aim. Few of them will continue to create art after they are sixteen years old.

FIGHT STANDARDIZATION

"But we are fighting the standardized systems of education which kill the child's imagination and encourage imitation; the systems which have culminated in the intelligence tests now used in many schools. The child's imagination does not need stimulating; it does not need directing. Turn it loose, with plenty of paint, crayons and paper, and it will reproduce its impressions of the world about, and of its inherited memories. That is what Cizek has done in Vienna.

"During the period of puberty, the creative fire dies away in almost all cases; vital imagination lingers with only the chosen few. These few continue to paint or to carve—and these become great. They do not need to be taught; we learn from them. For the rest, when the desire to create has faded, it is time enough to think of their instruction. They can then be trained at the Government School of Industrial Arts and become, not artists, but craftsmen."

Dr. Kollar lays stress on the importance to the would-be artist of discovering thus early whether he be really one of the "chosen few." Often he learns too late that he is not a creator. Then he becomes discontented with the world and with himself and develops into a neurotic. The child has no need for perspective or color formulas, maintains Franz Cizek; the whimsical old people, the dancing children, the weird animals, now running riot, in a tangle of brilliant color, around the walls of The Grange, seem to bear out his theory. From here the paintings go to Montreal and thence to England.

JUGO-SLAVIA ADOPTS EUGENIC MARRIAGES

ZAGREB, Jugo-Slavia, May 28.—Compulsory medical examination of brides and bridegrooms is required under a provision adopted by the state Senate.

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ONLY SOLAR ECLIPSE CAN CHANGE OXFORD

OXFORD, England, May 28.—Ancient Oxford University is proud of its age-old traditions, precedents and habits, and it has taken a solar eclipse to change one of them.

For centuries Oxford's Commencement Day has been unalterably scheduled for the last Wednesday in June. This year, however, the Wednesday falls on June 29, on which day there is to be a total eclipse of the sun. Consequently the governing body of the University, at a solemn session, decided to postpone the commencement exercises until the next day, Thursday.

Conservative Oxonians are alarmed at the change, but console themselves with the knowledge that nothing less than a solar eclipse could alter the University's routine.

Noted Woman Swimmer In Rowboat Marathon

LONG BEACH, Cal., May 28.—Mrs. Charlotte Schoemmel, noted swimmer and one of the competitors in the Catalina Channel swimming marathon last January, has entered the Long Beach to Catalina row boat marathon which is scheduled for June 12.

Frank S. Hagney, Hollywood, professional oarsman of Australia, also entered. Hagney claims to have a record of winning eighty-nine match races in shell boats.

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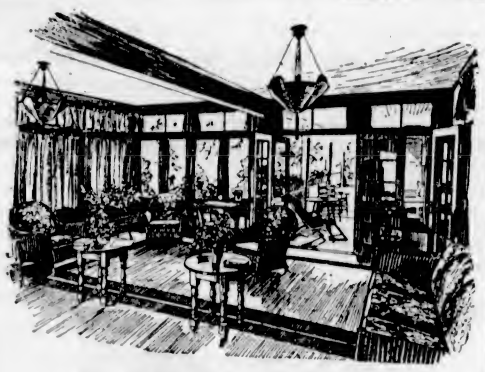

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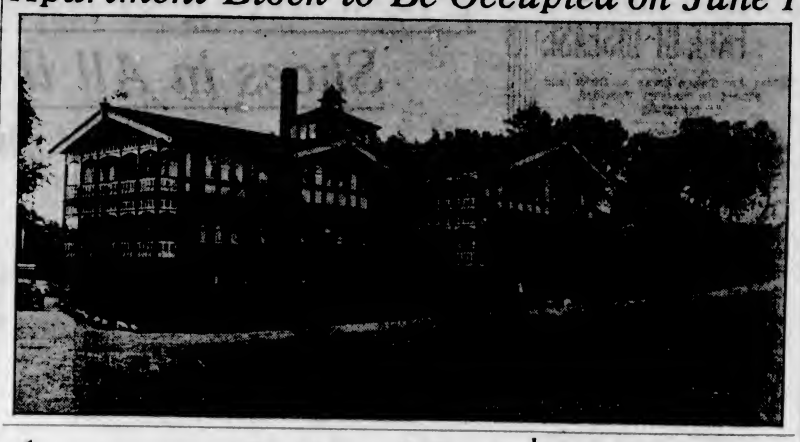

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While this is not a large or imposing structure when compared with many modern apartment houses in the larger cities along the Pacific Coast, it can be truthfully asserted that in no city throughout the entire West can there be found apartments more complete in construction, arrangement, equipment and conveniences, nor where every detail has been worked out with more painstaking thought than in this de luxe addition to Victoria's latest residential apartments.

Last August Mr. and Mrs. Burt W. Lyon, of Los Gatos, Cal., arrived in this city expecting "to spend about a week and about a hundred dollars seeing Victoria," as Mr. Lyon stated later. The charm of Victoria caused the "week" to be extended to nearly two months, and through investments since made in this community the hundred dollars expenditure originally contemplated by Mr. Lyon has been multiplied nearly a thousandfold.

FORMER BELLEVUE COURT

Among other properties bought while in Victoria last Fall, Mr. Lyon acquired Bellevue Court apartments on Beresford Street, Oak Bay, between Newport Avenue and Beach Drive, and its name changed to Marine Chalet. The vacant, tree-covered tract lying between the apartment block and Newport Avenue was also acquired, and the new owner announced it would be cleared of its tangle of underbrush and converted into a permanent park for the use of tenants of the apartment house, and that a new addition of the most modern type of apartments would be constructed at once.

These promises have been completely fulfilled.

AREA IMPROVED

Victoria and Oak Bay have been given their first thoroughly modern residential apartments, and the previous unsightly property at Newport and Beresford has been transformed into a place of beauty.

Its Location Is Ideal for Visitors

MARINE Chalet, so named because of its Swiss chalet style of architecture and the marine view obtainable from nearly every apartment, is situated in one of the finest residential sections of the Oak Bay district, but one-half block from the car line which terminates at the Oak Bay Hotel. The chalet is but a hundred yards from the beach, and is located midway between the links of the Victoria Golf Club and the Uplands golf course. It is but a hundred feet from Beach Drive, which is a continuation of Marine Drive along the waterfront into Victoria, and in the opposite direction through the charming Uplands district on to Cadboro Bay.

FIRE PROTECTION HAS RECEIVED EVERY PRECAUTION

To insure complete fire protection as well as ample water supply, the big water main on Newport Avenue has been tapped with a two-inch service pipe, which has been carried up through the centre of the building and hose reels installed on each floor. As additional protection, and for use in case of incipient fire, chemical fire extinguishers are placed in all main corridors, where they are available for instant use. Outside hydrants surround the entire buildings, and in case of fire the Oak Bay fire apparatus can be on the ground in less than five minutes. Iron fire doors are also installed between the halls on each floor.

OAK BAY DISTRICT OFFERS SPLENDID SITES FOR HOMES

Oak Bay has long been considered one of the finest residential districts of Greater Victoria, and during the last few years has seen a rapid development along this line. Uplands district, which was formerly owned by a private company, is building up quickly with fine palatial homes, while the property bordering Oak Bay, Shoal Bay and Willows Beach has arisen in value because of its ideal location for homes of a superior character.

The fact that the municipality contains two golf courses is also an added inducement to home seekers to locate in Oak Bay. Improvements to roads during the past few years have been in keeping with the development of the district.

Beautiful Grounds Will Enhance the Chalet's Attraction

While Marine Chalet is already a most attractive place, the landscaping now under way and planned for the immediate future will unquestionably soon cause it to become one of the show places of Victoria.

The rock garden in the rear of the building, which is not visible from either street but lies directly below all apartments facing the water, will soon become one of the beauty spots of the Chalet. A long row of rhododendrons constitute the base planting on the Newport Avenue side facing the Chalet's private park, and the park itself has been planted with a holly hedge for the entire length on both street frontages. Hundreds of flowering plants around the house complete the present p[illegible]

BLOCK BRINGS MANY NOVELTY IDEAS IN USE

Whole Building Will Be Heated by Vacuum Steam System During the Cooler Period of Year

EVERYTHING WILL ASSIST COMFORT

The arrangement of suites is the same throughout the entire Marine Chalet building, but all rooms in the new addition are larger than in the older part. Each apartment consists of a living-room, which is also used for dining purposes, an electric kitchenette, bathroom and one bedroom.

The apartments are not designed or intended for use of large families, but more particularly for individuals or couples who wish to enjoy the advantages of home life without the care and responsibility of a large house. To this end every convenience for home life in compact quarters has been introduced. Where there are three in a family a convertible day bed or Winnipeg couch may be installed in the living-room.

An English fireplace features each living-room in the new addition, where a grate fire may be enjoyed at the pleasure of the occupants, although the entire building is heated by a vaccum steam system during the cooler months. French windows open on to an outside balcony from every apartment.

All kitchenettes are fully equipped with necessary utensils and the latest type Moffatt electric ranges have been installed throughout the house. In all of the new apartments and several in the original building Servel electric refrigerating machines are features of the regular equipment. All apartments are fully furnished with china, linen and silver.

Unusually large clothes closets have been provided in all of the new apartments, and the best Simmons beds, equipped with the famous Rome de luxe springs, imported from the United States, and the very best mattresses obtainable are a feature of the bedroom furnishings.

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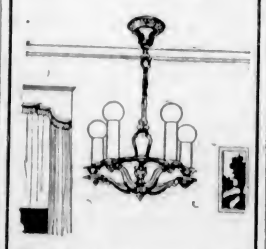

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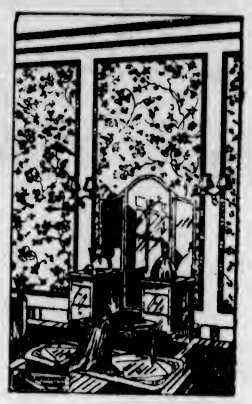

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SYNOPSIS

Maris Stallard, an orphan, has been a typist at the Foreign Office, but is now out of work. Through a friend—Horace Treadgold—she obtains employment as typist at a club, where she is forced to take an oath of secrecy, and to pass as the wife of Dr. Verner, the secretary.

Strange things happen at the club. There do not appear to be any regular members. A Dr. De Vasseur arrives, and it is given out that he is a great French scientist. Maris doubts his nationality. She believes him to be either a Russian or a German.

One night Maris is awakened by a loud scream. Rushing along one of the passages she comes to an iron door, and is horrified to find a freshly severed hand lying near it.

CHAPTER X

Maris stood for a moment looking at the half of the newly-severed hand lying before her on the floor; then, with an involuntary cry, fled back to her room again.

There the moonlight was streaming in, and it reassured her. There was something in its natural beauty which soothed her; it showed her that in all the horrors by which she was surrounded, there was something pure and beautiful above it all.

In this thought the terror at what she had seen that night faded away and she fell into deep sleep.

It was morning when she awoke, and the sun had risen, flooding the room.

As sleep fell away from her, the recollection of the awful event of the previous night gradually came back.

"The severed hand!"

She leapt from her bed and hurrying on a wrap, went out into the corridor and towards the iron door.

It stood closed, as on the previous night. Maris eagerly scanned the floor in front of it.

The severed fragment of a human hand had disappeared!

"May I come in?" asked a soft voice.

Maris was sitting at her typewriter and the room was otherwise empty.

In answer to her assent the door opened, and Professor De Vasseur entered.

There was no look of fear upon his face this morning; he came into the room smiling. He was very smartly dressed, and wore a rose in his buttonhole.

He approached, took her hand and kissed it in the foreign style.

"On such a beautiful morning, madame," he said as he released it, "one ought to be out in the fresh air."

"But, you see, Professor De Vasseur," Maris answered, "I have my work to do here."

De Vasseur shrugged his shoulders.

"That difficulty, madame," he answered, "can, I think, be easily overcome. I have just left your husband, and he remarked to me that he regretted that you remained indoors on such a sunny morning."

Maris' beautiful eyebrows closed a little.

"What is this?" she asked herself. "What does this man want?"

But the difficulty was soon solved.

Verner entered the room.

"Don't you think, Verner," the Professor asked as he came in, "that a walk in the park would be good for Madame?"

It appeared to Maris that her supposed husband was not unprepared for this suggestion.

"I quite agree with you, Professor," he replied. "I am always saying my wife stays in too much. What do you say, Jacqueline?" he asked.

He was standing behind De Vasseur's chair, and he nodded his head to Maris to go.

Maris felt the blood mount to her cheeks; she was angry at being forced by Verner to go out with this man.

What did De Vasseur want of her?

However, she knew in her heart she must go with the Professor, even if only to avoid offending Verner. The thought of displeasing him was unbearable to her.

She rose from her seat.

"If you can spare me," she answered with a glance at Verner, "I will go with pleasure."

The Professor expressed his delight.

"This is a great treat," he said. "This visit to London is a lucky one for me. I assure, you, Verner, that it is seldom I have the pleasure of walking in the park with such a charming lady."

But, as it happened, they did not walk in the park; the Professor's car was waiting, and they drove straight to Kensington Gardens.

Here, hat in hand, the Professor helped her out of the car, and suggested a walk under the trees by the Round Pond.

They sauntered away in the bright sunshine, across the grass, made especially brilliant green by recent rain, and the Professor proposed a seat under the beautiful old trees.

"The great beauty of England," he said, in soft, measured tones, "is in her trees. Where can one see such beautiful oaks, for instance, as these?"

Maris assented, but she knew in her heart that this was only a prelude to more important business.

"Yes," he continued, "England is beautiful in many things: her commerce, her enterprise; yes, even her beaux artes."

The Professor conceded the latter after some hesitation.

"But," he continued, "there is one attribute of England which is not good, and which makes her hated on the Continent, and that is—her diplomacy."

Maris did not hesitate a moment in deciding in her own mind in which part of the Continent the diplomacy of England was most unpopular.

But as she did not answer, there was an awkward pause, broken by the Professor.

"If I am not mistaken," he continued, "you are in a position to give an opinion upon this subject. Were you not in the English Foreign Office?"

Quick as lightning, Maris divined his intentions now. She, however, only slightly turned her head, and answered him:

"Who told you, Professor De Vasseur," she asked, "that I had been employed in the Foreign Office?"

The Professor seemed trying to recollect something.

"Well, at the moment," he answered, "I cannot memorize it. Someone mentioned in the club that you had been in the Foreign Office. Perhaps it was Sir Redvers Wellock."

This was a clever answer, as it left Maris in doubt, as it was intended to do. She could not decide in her own mind whether Verner or Sir Redvers had told him. It might have been either of them.

Finding that Maris made no reply, De Vasseur proceeded, in his usual measured tones:

"I hope I did not offend you, madame," he said, "with my remarks on the English diplomacy?"

Still no answer.

Maris' eyes were on the children's little yachts racing on the Round Pond.

But the German was losing his temper. He rose to his feet.

"Madame," he said, falling into his native guttural pronunciation, "you are making a fool of me!"

Maris rose, too.

"I think I had better leave you," she said.

But that was the last thing the Professor wanted. He was excited; he had perspired. He took out his handkerchief and mopped his forehead.

"Forgive me, madame," he said. "I am getting old and nervous, but I assure you I have something very important to say to you—something which may affect the future of both yourself and your husband."

Maris stood irresolute, and looked at him. What had he to say which could affect Dr. Verner?

"I beg of you, madame," Dr. De Vasseur continued, "to be seated again, and I will tell you at once what is the object of this interview which you have so kindly granted me."

She sat down again and waited to hear what he had to say.

"Madame," he continued, "when you were in the English Foreign Office, I believe a good deal of correspondence for typing passed through your hands concerning the part which Germany had played in the Russian Revolution?"

Maris hesitated for some time, but thought of Verner and how this matter might concern him. She decided to temporize; she merely bent her head.

"You had, I think," De Vasseur continued, "to type a copy of a letter from a secret agent of the German Government, offering to sell to the British Government certain information concerning the complicity of his Government in exiling the Czar and his family to Siberia?"

Maris remembered it well. She had been astounded by the German's duplicity and greed.

She nodded once more.

"Madame," the German continued, excitedly, relapsing into his native accent, "I will gif you hundert pount for the name of that German."

Maris rose from her seat.

"What you ask is impossible," she answered. "I don't recollect the man's name, and if I did I would not tell you."

The Professor rose excitedly and almost danced round her.

"Will two hundert pount refresh your memory?" he cried.

"Not any sum you can name," she answered. "I took an oath of secrecy and I will keep it."

"Five hundert pount!" he screamed. "Any sum you like!"

She shook her head.

"No sum you could name," she answered. "I have no sympathy with the traitor. But I will not betray him."

De Vasseur lost all control of himself. He shook his fist over her head.

"You shall tell me," he cried, "or you shall suffer like the others."

In a flash Maris thought of the severed hands. She thrilled with horror.

But a young man seated alone under the trees some distance away rose and came towards them.

It was Horace Treadgold.

"How do you do, Maris?" he said, as he approached and raised his hat, then he started back.

"The Professor!" he exclaimed, as he saw De Vasseur.

"Yes, the Professor!" the latter repeated; "and you had better be careful what you do to interfere between me and this lady."

Maris distinctly saw De Vasseur shake his head at Treadgold.

What did this mean?

Horace Treadgold seemed perfectly bewildered; he looked from one to the other without saying a word. It seemed that he feared to commit himself.

It was quite plain to him, however, that there had been some sort of disagreement between Maris and De Vasseur, but he seemed loth to interfere.

Presently Maris put an end to the awkward situation.

"Perhaps, Professor De Vasseur," she said, "you will take me back to the club?"

The wily German saw at once that she did not wish to involve the newcomer, evidently a friend of hers, in their quarrel. Therefore, he fell in with her wishes at once.

All his politeness returned. He took off his hat and bowed low to her.

"Madame," he said, "I ask no better task than to fulfill your wishes."

He led the way back to the car, which stood waiting for them, and Treadgold followed them; he seemed upset and moody, and made no effort to take any further part in the conversation.

Treadgold stood with his hat raised and saw the car with De Vasseur and Maris in it disappear in the direction of Hyde Park Corner. Then he turned away, apparently in deep thought.

De Vasseur was far too tactful to renew his proposal to Maris concerning the disclosure of the name of the German traitor; he was quite satisfied apparently to bide his time.

Only once did he refer to their conversation by the Round Pond.

"Forgive me, madame," he said, as he parted from her in the lounge of the club, "for what I said this morning. I am excitable, and I lost control of myself."

She bent her head and passed on, but it seemed quite clear to her that De Vasseur considered her useful, and did not wish to quarrel with her outright. It was evident that he expected to get some useful information out of her.

With this thought, Maris consoled herself, trying to believe that she was safe at least for a little time.

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The new-born infants are placed in the hands of non-leper attendants who take them to the special nursery in the colony's hospital compound. There they live their first year of life under the close observation of the doctor who guards the health of the settlement's 523 patients.

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When babies are able to walk they are given final examinations for health and if they pass, as they usually do, they are moved to Honolulu to be placed in orphanages or with relatives.

If the parents still are alive after the children are grown or at least fourteen or fifteen years' old, the children may visit the colony, but in most cases the children never return.

This system has been in effect several years and only one baby has ever contracted leprosy.

McGILL OFFERS COURSE IN CANADIAN HISTORY

Will Be Adapted to Needs of Students Whether Going Into Law or Other Callings

MONTREAL, May 28.—With the beginning of the coming academic year McGill University will offer a full course in Canadian history for the first time. Honor students in history will be allowed to choose Canadian history for their special subject, while graduate students, proceeding to their master of arts degree, may take a selected period of Canadian history for special study, on which to prepare a thesis.

In commenting on the adoption of a full year course in Canadian history at McGill, Dr. C. E. Fryer, professor of history, stated that the department feels the necessity of allowing students at McGill the chance of getting a broad general knowledge of the history of the Dominion. A history course at a Canadial university should be adapted specially to the needs of Canadian students, he said, whether they are going into law or into other callings, they should have a knowledge of the background of the history of the Dominion.

A new curriculum in history, which the McGill history department has been working out for some time, comes into operation with the opening of the college session in the Autumn. The history of Canada will be a third year course, and the students will have had previously a whole course in the second year on the two American continents, given by Prof. E. R. Adair, associate professor of history. The idea of the new curriculum is to endeavor to meet the necessity of Canadian students to grasp transatlantic conditions.

The new curriculum marks a distinct change in the arrangement of the history course at McGill, with emphasis given to American and Canadian conditions. The new course in Canadian history will be the first real recognition of Canadian history at McGill. Dr. C. E. Fryer, who will conduct the course, has been connected with the McGill history department for twenty-one years. He will prepare the English lecture to be given in the public schools here in October in connection with the Jubilee celebration of Confederation.

Belgium's Progress

Stabilization of the currency in Belgium last year was accompanied by dire prophecies as to the crisis likely to be created in business and among the working people. Now it appears that the system of checks and controls for prices and wages is functioning so well that the gloomy forecasts have been proved largely unwarranted. Belgium's foreign trade has increased, there is little unemployment and her finances are in good shape. While the cost of living has advanced somewhat since stabilization, wages in general have kept pace with prices under a system whereby they rise with the index commodity figure.

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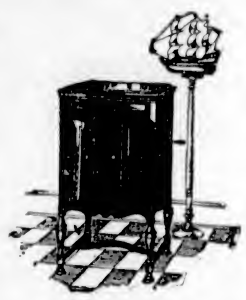

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THE Right Hon. Sir Joseph Cook, G.C.M.G., High Commissioner for Australia in London, writing in The Times' recent Australian edition, in reviewing the Commonwealth's historic defence policy, has the following to say of the Antipodean Navy:

"At the time the programme was launched, the cost of maintaining the existing defence services of the Commonwealth was £3,886,000 per annum. To carry out the developmental programme an additional £1,000,000 per annum for five years was voted, exclusive of the capital cost of the cruisers, submarines and seaplane carrier, which are estimated to cost £7,250,000.

"Last year Australia expended £5,143,265, or 17s 2d per capita, on naval defence alone, which was over five times the total combined naval expenditure of the other three great Dominions. These figures show clearly that Australia has realized her obligation to defend herself and to cooperate in the defence of the Empire.

SINGAPORE BASE

"It should be added that the Commonwealth naval development programme was based on the assumption that the Singapore base would not be proceeded with, otherwise the programme might have been varied to include a contribution towards the building of the base. At the Imperial Conference of 1923, and again last year, Mr. Bruce urged strongly that the base should be proceeded with, that it was a purely defensive measure, and, as such, was compatible with the Empire's ideal of a progressive policy of world disarmament. A base at Singapore is vital to Australia and New Zealand and to the Empire in the East.

"The British Navy is the most potent force in existence for the promotion of universal peace; but unless it is rendered efficient and its mobility assured by the provision of an adequate base in the Pacific, the existence and prestige of the Empire will be imperilled and the peace of the world endangered.

"With reference to the personnel of the Royal Australian Navy, the present sea-going strength is 435 officers and 4,301 men, and the reserve strength 272 officers and 6,867 men. In addition there are 52 cadet midshipmen and 231 boys undergoing training."

CHIEFS SURRENDER SKULLS OF VICTIMS

One Hundred Grim Reminders of Human Sacrifices in Burma Produced at Gathering

Chiefs and their followers, about 500 in all, representing thirty tribes, attended a manau (gathering of chiefs) at Shinbiwyang, in Kachin Country, at the beginning of April as a conclusion to the slave-liberating expedition in the Naga Hills under Mr. T. P. Dewar, Burma Frontier Service, which began operations on January 7.

Many promises to discontinue human sacrifices were made and the chiefs voluntarily surrendered over 100 skulls of victims—a remarkable gesture, as such skulls are revered as relics with a religious significance and are handed down for generations. The effect on undecided chiefs was that they returned to their villages to bring back skulls in their possession.

A $250,000 Smile

A $250,000 smile adorns the face of Fay Marbe, an American actress now playing in London. In what is believed to be the first transaction of its kind, the actress has insured her smile for this amount with a British company. The policy provides that the insurance shall be collectible if at any time within the next ten years her smile loses its charm because of accident or illness. The amount of the premium was not disclosed.

The Cutty Sark

The old clipper ship Cutty Sark is not to be moved from Falmouth. Her owner, Captain W. H. Dowman, has conferred with the harbor authorities and, as a result, agreed to remove the ship about a length to the north of her present berth and to provide her with head and stern moorings.

Izaak Walton's Cottage

The trustees of Izaak Walton's cottage, at Shallowford, near Stafford, which was seriously damaged by fire have decided to take steps to restore the premises as far as possible to their original condition, and to issue an appeal for funds. The main walls of the cottage and some of the principal timbers are still intact. The ancient fireplace, which was the chief feature of interest in the interior is to be carefully restored.

Twenty Years' Struggle

After 20 years' struggle, the London Coliseum has obtained a licence for the sale of intoxicating liquor between 7.45 p.m. and 10.45 p.m. The confirming authority upheld the decision of the Strand Licensing Justices, and granted the licence.

PEER COCKTAIL MIXER SHAKES FOR FRIENDS

Lord Victor Paget Dispenses Seductive Drink Gratis as Side Line to Business

Cocktail bars to attract customers have appeared in West End fashion shops catering to the aristocracy. Lord Victor Paget, who runs a fur and suit store in fashionable Bond Street, inaugurated the idea, which has now been taken up by his competitors. There is no "speakeasy" suggestion about the bars, as no licences are required, because the drinks are given away. The bar in the shop of Lord Victor Paget is used as part of the decorations. It is painted to match stands in the blue and yellow room, where multi-colored furs and draperies are blended harmoniously. The peer himself not only serves the cocktails to particular customers, but shakes them as well.

Killed by Gas Fumes

While bathing her two-month-old daughter, Mrs. Albert Marshall, of London, was asphyxiated by carbon monoxide from a gas water heater used in preparing water for the infant's bath. Albert Marshall, returning home at noon, found his wife and daughter dead.

ATTENDED FUNERAL OF SHAKESPEARE

Tomb of Poet's Pallbearer Found in Masonic Cemetery in Virginia

A discovery was made recently in an old Masonic graveyard at Fredericksburg, Va., of a gravestone purporting to mark the burial place of Edward Heldon, stated to be one of Shakespeare's pallbearers, says a correspondent of The London Times.

PRACTITIONER OF PHYSICS

The following is the inscription on the stone:

"Here lies the body of Edward Heldon. Practitioner in Physics and Chirurgery. Born in Bedfordshire, England, in the year of our Lord, 1542. Was contemporary with and one of the pallbearers of William Shakespeare, of the Avon. After a brief illness his spirit ascended in the year of our Lord, 1618, age seventy-six."

This gravestone was discovered lying flat on the ground under a tangle of weeds and creepers, with the upper corner chipped off and the Old English letters dim but traceable.

In the Fredericksburg Gazette, published in 1784, occurs a tribute to Edward Heldon. One of the verses runs as follows:

"For in the churchyard at Fredericksburg
Juliet seemed to love,
Hamlet mused, and old Lear fell,
Beatrice laughed, and Ariel
Gleamed through the skies above—
As here beneath this stone
Lay, in his narrow hall,
He who before had borne the pall
At mighty Shakespeare's funeral."

PARTY WHIP TRAINED ON WINDJAMMER

Dapper Member for Kingston-on-Thames Earned $12.50 on First Voyage

F. C. Penny, M.P. for Kingston-on-Thames, who has been appointed a Government whip in the British Parliament, began his career as a sailor on a windjammer. His first voyage was to Sydney at the age of fourteen, and his pay was £2 10s with "the run of his teeth"—the sailor's term for food. After three voyages round Cape Horn in sailing ships he became second officer on a tramp steamer trading in the Black Sea. Later he commanded several merchant vessels, and was shipwrecked more than once. Eventually he left the sea and took up business in the East.

Although he is six feet high he does not look a typical sailor, for he wears a monocle and is one of the best-dressed men in the House of Commons. He has been parliamentary tennis champion three times.

'MASTER OLIVER' WORKS

Premier Baldwin's Son Varies Literary Excursions With Poultry Farming But Eschews Platforms

Mr. Oliver Baldwin has not yet shown much anxiety to follow in his Prime Minister father's footsteps. A short time ago he was engaged in poultry farming, but it is to literature that he seems to lean. A short time ago a playlet of his, entitled "The Fog," was broadcast. Mr. Baldwin's identity being hidden under the name of Martin Hussingtree. About two years ago he published a novel under the same pseudonym. He takes the name of Hussingtree from his mother's birthplace. "Master Oliver," as he is known in his father's constituency, has little use for platform oratory. He once began to address a meeting, but after a minute he said, "I can't stand this," and jumped down among the audience to finish his talk on a more intimate footing.

SOCIALISTS DOMINATED

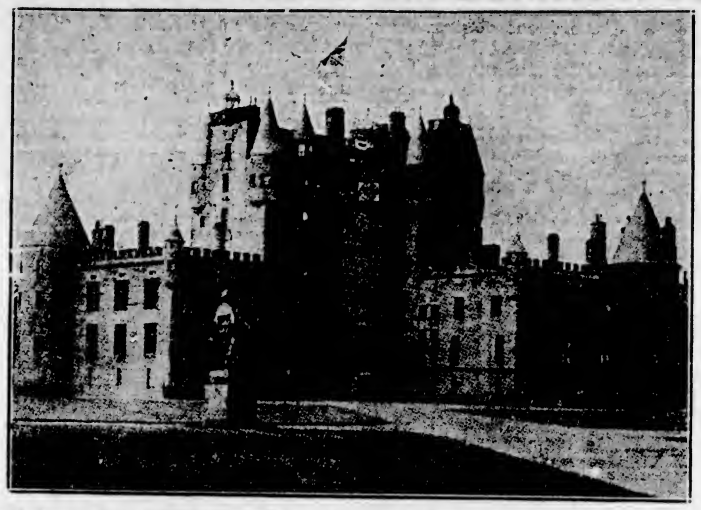
Antis Outnumber Reds in Huge Hyde Park Gathering on May Day

Anti-Socialists dominated the Labor Day demonstration in Hyde Park on May 1. Over 10,000 people gathered round the Union Jack, and Reds had their hats snatched from their heads during the singing of the National Anthem. This is the first time the Socialists have been so effectively answered on what they consider to be their own ground on May Day.

English as It Was

There was recently broadcast for the education of school children some samples of English as it was spoken 500 years ago. Here is one in 1427 English: "Onse upon a teema theer was a kneetch who was reeden through a daarrk wude when he heered a long cry. Eet was a feerse and greesly draagawn that livved een a carver, and used to coom oot and aate anny baste or maan such as wude paass that way, and when he had aten enoof he wude lie himself doon to slape—"

The Girlhood Home of The Duchess of York



GLAMIS Castle, in the beautiful Strathmore Valley, near Forfar, Scotland, is the ancestral home of the noble family of Lyon (now Bowes-Lyon). According to the old chroniclers, Glamis was a Royal residence in the reign of Malcolm II (eleventh century), and was also the scene of his death, after having been wounded by assassins on the Hunter's Hill in the neighborhood of the castle. Tradition still pretends to point out the spot, in a passage within the building, where the king expired.

The present popular Duchess of York is not the first of the Lyon family to make a Royal marriage. Away back in the time of the first Stuart King of Scotland, Robert II, John Lyon married the king's second daughter by Elizabeth Mure, and received Glamis as dowry, so founding the present noble family of Strathmore. It has remained in the possession of the Lyons since the fourteenth century, except for a brief period in the sixteenth century.

CIGARS AND BOOKS IN K.C.'S BEQUESTS

Will of Late Sir E. Marshall-Hall Deals With $550,000 and Other Items

Relics of famous trials, jewelry, and even cigars, are mentioned in the will of Sir Edward Marshall-Hall, the famous K.C., which has been admitted to probate in London.

Sir Edward left £110,644, with net personalty of £85,605. One of his bequests is that of an "iron box with gilt bands," which goes to a woman friend. One bequest is made to a barrister on condition that he is still a practising member of the Bar.

OTHER MATTERS

Other bequests are made in the following language:

To the Benchers of the Inner Temple the silver gilt George III cup and cover given to me by my constituents at Southport.

To my great friend Harold S. Hargrove the chiming clock and bracket in my chambers at No. 3, Temple Gardens, and any cigars there may be in my chambers.

To Lady Evelyn Herbert my gold snuffbox with musical box inside.

To the Countess of Carnarvon the George III silver tumbler used as a sugar basin.

SMALL OAK CASE

To Ernest W. Harvey, as some small token of my gratitude for his faithful and devoted service and friendship, the small oak case hanging on the wall at the Temple, containing revolvers, etc., souvenirs of trials in which I was engaged, and the contents of the said case.

The residue is left in trust for the benefit of Lady Marshall-Hall and Miss Marshall-Hall, or, failing this, the capital from the fund to be paid to the Benchers of the Inner Temple for charitable purposes.

STRESS KINDLINESS IN INDIA AFFAIRS

Hindu Most Sensitive and Responsive Says Londoner—Tribute to Field-Marshal Birdwood

Tributes to the Viceroy of India and Field-Marshal Sir William Birdwood, Commander-in-Chief of the Army in India, were paid by Mr. B. S. Rowntree, chairman, Rowntree & Co., Limited, on the occasion of the presentation in London of a magnificent Milan casket of embossed antique leather by the directors and workers to General Sir Charles and Lady Harington. Sir Charles Harington is leaving the Northern Command for the Northwestern Command in India, and Mr. Rowntree, speaking as one who had recently returned from India, said he appreciated the enormous need of sending out as representatives of England men and women who would give the best England had to offer. The Indian people were more sensitive and more responsive to kindliness and good feeling than those of anywhere else in the world. Lord Irwin had told him that so great was the need for appreciating their feelings that he had seen audiences "shrivel up" at a careless word of a speaker put in the wrong way. Field-Marshal Sir William Birdwood was doing splendid work out there in spreading good will among the Indian people, and England was doing the right thing in sending out General Harington. On behalf of the police force the Lord Mayor presented General Harington with a gold-mounted fountain pen.

Plane Flights' Index

Commercial airship flights are now recorded at Lloyd's in the daily index, containing the name and news of every ocean-going vessel throughout the world. The system was inaugurated by recording the movements of all aircraft plying between London and Continental points. The destination of each airplane was listed along with the name of the pilot.

Way of An Eagle

"The way of an eagle" has recently been investigated first hand by the Duchess of Bedford who has been utilizing a light airplane to fly over the Spanish mountains studying birds and their habits. Although cases are frequently recorded of eagles attacking planes the titled naturalist carried out her experiments without any alarming incidents.

Collecting Clocks Hobby of Caretaker Of Sydney Cemetery

THE hobby of collecting clocks was taken up by Joseph Quigg, caretaker of a cemetery near Sydney, N.S.W., twenty years ago, and since then he has gathered together nearly 600 timekeepers of all shapes, sizes and designs until they fill two rooms in his cottage. Practically no two are alike. Quigg used to have this battalion of clocks all working, and the labor of winding them up used to occupy him for six hours one day a week. Now he has most of them resting and not more than 100 now tick to keep him company. Quigg's mechanical turn of mind and clever fingers enabled him to gather so large a collection at a small cost. He never bought a watch or clock in good running order, but found bargains in salesrooms. He has never paid more than $15 for one. This he paid for an old English grandfather's clock.

LABOR BILL GIVEN UNIONIST SUPPORT

Five Hundred Delegates From Unions Unanimous That Measure Is "Just and Necessary"

A conference of about 500 trade unionists, drawn from practically every labor organization in South Wales and Monmouthshire, says The London Times, passed unanimously at Cardiff recently a resolution thanking the Government for "this just and necessary bill which we believe will restore to trade unionists their industrial and political liberty, will protect them against the extremists, and safeguard their benefit funds."

REMARKABLE FEATURE

As each man entered the conference hall he declared his name and address and the trade union of which he is a member for publication, and this was a remarkable feature of the proceedings.

Sir Walter Greaves Lord, M.P., explained the bill in detail, and said the criticisms of the Labor Party were not based upon the clauses actually in the bill, but upon imaginary sections created in their own fertile brains.

The conference discussed each clause separately and the speakers expressed the belief that the agitation against the bill was mainly due to provisions preventing the squandering of the general funds of the unions for political purposes.

Mr. Bart Cronin, Swansea, a member of the Labor Party, likened the Socialists to his neighbor's tomatoes. At first they were green, then they became red, and if left alone they became absolutely rotten and nauseating.

MILKING THE PUBLIC

Southwark Man Earns $20 a Week and Wife Draws $3.75 From "Guardians"

"It is a scandal that the public should have to keep the wife of a man in good work," declared Mr. Gattie, the Tower Bridge, London, magistrate, recently. Sarah Swan, of Southwark, who summoned her husband, Andrew Swan, of Bermondsey, for maintenance, said he left her eighteen months ago because they had been turned out of their rooms and could not find joint accommodation. He had contributed nothing to her support and she had been drawing 15 shillings a week from the Southwark Guardians. Her husband earned £4 a week under the Bermondsey Borough Council.

SAVINGS RECORD

Cash and Stock in British Trustee Banks Increase Over $13,000,000 in Year 1926

Fresh records were created by trustee savings banks during the year ended November 20. The report of the inspection committee states that the number of depositors for 1926 was 2,354,703, against 2,340,644 for 1925, cash and stock aggregated £144,862,212, compared with £142,179,367 for the preceding twelve months. One savings bank had given an order for 10,000 home safes.

LATE PEER PAID TRIBUTE TO WIFE

In Glowing Terms Lord Cowday Eulogized Life Partner in Draft of Undelivered Speech

A glowing tribute to his wife was part of the speech which the late Lord Cowdray would have delivered at Aberdeen had he lived to receive the formal conferring of the freedom of the city.

"Of the influences which shape one's life," he had written, "nothing comes into the same category with the great crowning influence which a man possesses in that perfect partner—a well-mated wife.

A MINISTERING ANGEL

"To have by you one who shares with head and heart the successes and the failures, who gives due encouragement, but has the courage to administer the home truth, unpalatable but necessary sometimes, who is never afraid of responsibility, but is prepared to start life afresh should need arise: such a partner is beyond praise or price.

"She is simply one's needed lifeblood, and I make no apology for this due tribute to mine.

"Success is sweet. Today I realize how profoundly sweet it is, but the joy is in the doing."

LADY COWDRAY'S SPEECH

Lady Cowdray, in her speech, had written:

"I shall eternally be thankful that life gave me a partner who answered two questions in my own spirit. The first is, 'Is woman's place necessarily limited to the home?' and the second, 'Should a married woman work?'

"To that freedom I owe today's freedom, if in any sense at all I have any claim to deserve it at your hands."

The King was specially represented by Lord Colebrooke at a memorial service to Lord Cowdray at St. Margaret's, Westminster.

ROYAL POULTRY RAISING

Scheme Planned to Erect Extensive Yards Near Cumberland Lodge in Windsor Great Park

Plans for the erection of extensive poultry yards in the neighborhood of Cumberland Lodge, in Windsor Great Park, have not yet taken shape. Cumberland Lodge is near Smith's Lawn, which was the site of the Canadian Forestry Corps' base camp during the latter years of the war. In the meantime, poultry raising is being carried on at the Royal Aviaries, Frogmore, where Queen Victoria at one time maintained an extensive stock of poultry and other birds. The establishment has been redecorated, and a good number of chickens have already been reared, in spite of a late start. A considerable area of land is available at Frogmore, and the site has the advantage of being more convenient for the King and Queen, who took a good deal of interest in the development of the poultry yards while they were in residence at the Castle.

INDIAN'S ABBEY SERMON

Native Bishop Preaches at Services at Westminster for S.P.G.

Westminster Abbey was crowded when an Indian Bishop preached at the annual S.P.G. service. It is very rare for a colored preacher to occupy the pulpit at the Abbey. He was Bishop of Azariah, of Dornakal, a diocese with a church membership of 150,000. On an average, he told the congregation, there were 10,000 converts every year. Speaking of the church in India, he said: "The outcasts and those immediately above them are coming into the church with such rapidity that all the elements of the church are strained in teaching them the essence of Christianity. Instead of the indifference and opposition to Christianity which many feared would result from the growth of nationalism in India, there has come to the fore a great admiration for it."

Irish Unemployment

A meeting of the Irish Roman Catholic Bishops, under the chairmanship of Cardinal O'Donnell, has issued a statement deploring the growth of unemployment in Ireland. The Bishops call for a national effort to bring about a revival of industry and trade. They plead also for a more general demand for native manufactures.

PILGRIMS CHARTER NEW "MAYFLOWER"

Descendants of Original Fathers Charter 21,000-Ton Liner for Voyage in 1928

Emulating the band of 102 Pilgrims who set out for America on the Mayflower on September 6, 1620, an English expedition will leave for America from Liverpool on May 26, 1928. These are descendants of the Pilgrim Fathers, but instead of being tossed in a cockleshell ship of 180 tons like the Mayflower they will charter a 21,000-ton liner. Instead of fighting Indians upon their arrival, they will be welcomed by New England descendants of the Pilgrims and will visit the shrines of Congregationalism in the United States.

Help From America

"America, it is expected, will contribute this year upwards of £50,000 to the rebuilding fund of the Shakespeare Memorial Theatre." So said Mr. A. D. Flowers, Mayor of Stratford-on-Avon, on his return recently, from New York. "The effort will not stop there," he added. "There is exceptional interest in Shakespeare in the States. I have also nearly completed plans for the Stratford Shakespearean Company to play in New York and other cities next year."

BARNARDO FAMILY NUMBERS 7,690

Home Secretary Pays Tribute to Great British Benefaction—Founder's Widow Present

Sir William Joynson-Hicks, the Home Secretary, presiding recently at the annual meeting of Dr. Barnardo's Homes at the Central Hall, Westminster, said that the homes often claimed that they had the largest family in the world. He thought he had a slightly larger one. The homes had about 7,690 children belonging to them. He had about 8,000 belonging to him. All the industrial schools and reformatories were under the care and jurisdiction of the Home Secretary.

OUT OF REFORMATORY

There was no better way of decreasing his family, of keeping boys and girls out of the reformatory or the industrial schools, than by supporting an institution like Dr. Barnardo's Homes.

He urged that they must not be content because the condition of child life was better than it was sixty years ago, when the homes were founded. We had to devote our efforts and determination to see that no child in the whole of the land in the years to come grew up without a definite opportunity of "making good in life." He commended the system of boarding out orphan children and providing them with foster-parents.

31,000 OVERSEAS

Good as the institution was for child life, the home was better. He also commended strongly the work of the homes in sending boys and girls to the Dominions, mentioning that nearly 30,000 had already gone overseas.

Dr. Cyril Norwood, headmaster of Harrow, said that it came to him with something of a shock to find that last year there were 1,623 children who required and received permanent admission into the homes. Equality of opportunity had not yet been fully realized. There were still children born in that country who had no opportunity at all, save such as they received from homes like these.

Mrs. Barnardo, the widow of the founder, was present.

DOG'S LIFE SAVED BY MASTER'S COMMAND

Feigns Death in Path of Oncoming Train and Escapes Death

Obedience on the part of a valuable Airedale puppy saved it from being crushed beneath the wheels of a train at the Great Western Railway Station at Barry recently.

The owner of the dog was awaiting a train from Cardiff, and the animal stood at his side until something on the track caught his eye. He then leapt from the platform as the train came in.

Women on the platform tried to coax the dog from the centre of the track, and one even threw a glove, hoping he would chase it. But the dog refused to move.

With the train almost upon his pet, the owner had a bright idea.

"Die, Wolf," he called. The dog was then lost to sight underneath the train.

When the train moved away again Wolf was lying on his back simulating death in the manner taught him by his master.

When the latter whistled to him Wolf speedily returned to the platform.

MOTHER AND BABY

Ingenious Woman Violoncello Player Uses "Pram" to Transport Unwieldy Instrument

A daring woman violoncello player in London has introduced a new fashion for carrying her cumbersome instrument to the concert hall. Mother and baby gave her the idea, and the "'cello pram" has arrived. This young woman, smartly dressed, tripped along the Strand pushing a two-wheeled, tall-handled cart on which was strapped with pale blue webbing her 'cello and her violin. The cart was gracefully designed in light wood with rubber-tired wheels gilded to match the framework.

An Irish Trick

Twelve armed men stopped a train running from Dublin to Bray at Killiney on a Sunday recently and destroyed five hundredweight of English Sunday newspapers which were being sent from Kingstown to Wicklow and Wexford. When the train arrived at Killiney the men rushed through a side entrance and while one was "holding up" a fireman and others were taking possession of the signal cabin, the remainder, entering the guard's van, threw the papers on the permanent way and poured petrol on them. After the train had moved away the men set fire to the papers.

SHAFTESBURY SOCIETY SUMS UP ITS WORK

Princess Arthur of Connaught Takes Part in 83rd Annual Festival of Famous British Benevolent Scheme

PEER WHO FOUNDED SOCIETY PRESIDES

Income for Past Twelve Months Reported as Over $350,000, the Largest in History of Movement

PRINCESS Arthur of Connaught was present at the eighty-third annual festival of the Shaftesbury Society and Ragged School Union at the Queen's Hall in London, recently, and distributed awards to the senior scholars. Princess Arthur also received gifts for the society's new holiday hostel for children at Whitstable.

The annual report shows that the various missions were better housed, equipped and organized than before the war, but the claims of poorest London were still far beyond the society's capacity to meet. The society provided 53,095 days' outings for children, and sent 600 children away for a fortnight's holiday. At Winter treats 100,000 guests had been entertained, 53,499 garments, and 2,674 pairs of boots had been supplied, while 27,103 toys had been distributed. The income of £71,132 was the highest in the society's history.

Lord Shaftesbury, who presided, said that it was remarkable how often the society had been the pioneer of movements afterwards taken up and carried on by the State. They now saw the advent of the State in the realm of crippledom by having laid on the education authorities the task of making provision for all classes of defective children.

The Bishop of Willesden, Rt. Rev. W. W. Perrin, urged that the causes of poverty and wretchedness must be attacked. Public authorities must be forced to improve housing conditions. The apathy of voters at municipal elections was appalling.

TIGER MAULS TWO BRITISH OFFICERS

Big Game Hunters Encounter Man-killer at Night and Native Is Carried Off

Mr. E. M. Jacobson and Mr. W. S. Collins, of the police, who were out after a tiger in the Central Provinces near Darganpore, received news that the tiger had killed a cow, writes the Allahabad correspondent of The London Times. Accordingly they went out to kill it and, after sitting in a nullah for an hour and a half, were startled at 9.30 p.m. by a tremendous roar. Mr. Jacobson flashed his light on the tiger and fired first and Mr. Collins fired immediately afterwards. The tiger retreated into the dense jungle leaving bloodmarks.

NATIVE CARRIED OFF

After waiting till dawn beaters began to beat the jungle. Suddenly one beater ahead of the rest gave a yell as he was carried off by the tiger. Most of the other beaters fled while Mr. Jacobson and Mr. Collins went for the tiger, the former firing at him. The tiger attacked Mr. Collins, who was terribly mauled in the back in spite of the revolver bullets which he fired. His last shot being fired, Mr. Jacobson attacked the tiger with the butt of his rifle, and thus drew the animal off Mr. Collins, who, although weak from loss of blood, dragged himself up to the tiger on his stomach and fired three more shots, which killed the beast and saved Mr. Jacobson's life. Both men are now in Nagpur Hospital.

MAKES BIRD CENSUS

Oxford Student Computes Numbers of Featured Tribes of London's Public Parks

Bird life in Hyde Park and Kensington Gardens, London, fluctuates with the weather. Normally, there are 3,980 birds in the parks, it is reckoned by E. M. Nicholson, an Oxford student, who is the first person to complete a bird census in these tracts. Nicholson, encouraged by his success here, has begun a census at Oxford.

The Hyde Park-Kensington Gardens birds were counted four times. According to the census the birds consisted of 2,665 sparrows, 473 starlings, 289 black-headed sea gulls, 241 wood pigeons, 240 mallards, 43 titmice and 26 little moorhens. Nicholson began his census in November. Two months afterward, when another census was taken, after a spell of cold weather, the number was eight less. But after a month of wet weather, it fell by 1,800. When the weather improved the original number was restored. Nicholson says years will be required to complete the bird census in Oxford and vicinity.

SUN BATH AMBULANT

X-Rays Not Needed on Clothing Made Permeable to Ultra Violet Radiations

Sunlight treatment will be presently available, not only artificially and inexpensively, but will be free for all, if the claim put forth by Professor A. M. Low proves justified. The British scientist claims to have devised a method by which clothing without change of appearance or durability, becomes permeable to ultra violet rays. Clothes from the treated material would mean health for men and women, the scientist declares. His claimed discovery of a free sun bath treatment while you walk was made by chance in the course of an X-ray experiment.

Aepyornis Island - -

By H. G. Wells

THE man with the scarred face leaned over the table and looked at my bundle.

"Orchids?" he asked.

"A few," I said.

"Cypripediums?" he said.

"Chiefly," said I.

"Anything new? I thought not. I did these islands twenty-five—twenty-seven years ago. If you find anything new here—well, its brand new. I didn't leave much."

"I'm not a collector," said I.

"I was young then," he went on. "Lord! how I used to fly around." He seemed to take my measure. "I was in the East Indies two years, and in Brazil seven. Then I went to Madagascar."

"I know a few explorers by name," I said anticipating a yarn, "Who did you collect for?"

"Dawsons. I wonder if you've heard the name of Butcher ever?"

"Butcher—Butcher?" The name seemed vaguely present in my memory, then I recalled Butcher versus Dawson. "Why!" said I, "you are the man who sued them for four years' salary—got cast away on a desert island—"

"Your servant," said the man with the scar, bowing. "Funny case, wasn't it? Here was me, making a little fortune on that island doing nothing for it neither, and them quite unable to give me notice. It often used to amuse me thinking over it while I was there. I did calculations of it—big—all over the blessed atoll in ornamental figuring.

"How did it happen?" said I. "I don't rightly remember the case."

The Aepyornis

"Well—You've heard of the Aepyornis?"

"Rather. Andrews was telling me of a new species he was working on only a month or so ago. Just before I sailed. They've got a thigh bone, it seems, nearly a yard long Monster the thing must have been!"

"I believe you," said the man with the scar. "It was a monster. Sinbad's roc was just a legend of 'em. But when did they find these bones?"

"Several years ago—'91. I fancy. Why?"

"Why?—Because I found 'em—Lord!—its nearly twenty years ago. If Dawsons hadn't been silly about that salary they might have made a perfect ring in 'em. I couldn't help the infernal boat boing adrift."

He paused. "I suppose it's the same place. A kind of swamp about ninety miles north of Antananarivo. Do you happen to know? You have to go to it along the coast by boats. You don't happen to remember, perhaps?"

"I don't. I fancy Andrews said something about a swamp.'

"It must be the same. It's on the East Coast. And somehow there's something in the water that keeps things from decaying. Like creosote it smells. It reminds me of Trinidad. Did they get any more eggs? Some of the eggs I found were a foot and a half long. The swamp goes circling round, you know, and cuts off this bit. It's mostly salt, too. Well—

Found by Accident

"What a time I had of it! I found the things quite by accident. We went for eggs, me and two native chaps, in one of those rum canoes all tied together, and found the bones at the same time. We had a tent and provisions for four days, and we pitched on one of the firmer places. To think of it brings that odd tarry smell back even now. It's funny work. You go probing into the mud with iron rods, you know. Usually the egg gets smashed. I wonder how long it is since these Aepyornises really lived. The missionaries say the natives have legends about when they were alive, but I never heard any such stories myself. But certainly those eggs we got were as fresh as if they had been newlaid. Fresh! Carrying them down to the boat one of my niggers dropped one on a rock and it smashed. How I lammed into the beggar! But sweet it was as if it was newlaid, not even smelly, and its mother dead these 400 years perhaps. Said a centipede had bit him.

"However, I'm getting off the straight with the story. It had taken us all day to dig into the slush and get these eggs out unbroken, and we were all covered with beastly black mud, and naturally I was cross. So far is I knew they were the only eggs that had ever been got out not even cracked. I went afterward to see the ones they have at the Natural History Museum in London; all of them were cracked and just stuck together like a mosiac, and bits missing. Mine were perfect, and I meant to blow them when I got back. Naturally I was annoyed at the silly devil dropping three hours' work just on account of a centipede. I hit him about rather."

Perfectly Fresh Eggs

The man with the scar took out a clay pipe. I placed my pouch before him. He filled up absent-mindedly.

"How about the others? Did you get those home? I don't remember—"

"That's the queer part of the story. I had three others. Perfectly fresh eggs. Well we put 'em in the boat, and then I went up to the tent to make some coffee, leaving my two heathens down by the beach—the one feeling about with his string and the other helping him It never occurred to me that the beggars would take advantage o' the peculiar position I was in to pick a quarrel. But I suppose the centipede potion and the kicking I'd given him had upset the one—he was always a cantankerous sort—and he persuaded the other.

"I remember I was sitting and smoking and boiling up the water over a spirit lamp business I used to take on these expeditions. Incidentally I was admiring the swamp under the sunset. All black and blood red it was, in streaks—a beautiful sight. And up beyond the land rose gray and hazy to the hills and the sky behind them red, like a furnace mouth. And fifty yards behind the back of me was these blessed heathen—quite regardless of the tranquil air of things—plotting to cut off with the boat and leave me all alone with three days' provisions and a canvas tent and nothing to drink whatsoever beyond a little keg of water. I heard a kind of yelp behind me, and there they were in this cance affair—it wasn't properly a boat—and perhaps twenty yards from land, I realized what was up in a moment. My gun was in the tent, and, besides, I had no bullets—only duck shot. They knew that. But I had a little revolver in my pocket and I pulled that out as I ran down to the beach.

"Come back!" says I, flourishing it.

Third and Out

"They jabbered something at me, and the man that broke the egg jeered. I aimed at the other—because he was unwounded and had the paddle, and I missed. They laughed. However, I wasn't beat. I knew I had to keep cool, and I tried him again and made him jump with the whang of it. The third time I got his head, and over he went, and the paddle with him. It was a precious lucky shot for a revolver. I reckon it was fifty yards. He went right under. I don't know if he was shot or simply stunned and drowned. Then I began to shout to the other chap to come back, but he huddled up in the canoe and refused to answer. So I fired out my revolver at him and never got near him.

"I felt a precious fool, I can tell you. There I was on this rotten, black beach, flat swamp all behind me, and the flat sea, cold after the sunset, and just this black canoe drifting steadily out to set. I tell you I damned Dawson and Jamrachs and museums and all the rest of it just to rights. I bawled to this nigger to come back until my voice went up into a scream.

"There was nothing for it but to swim after him and take my luck with the sharks. So I opened my clasp knife and put it in my mouth and took off my clothes and waded in. As soon as I was in the water I lost sight of the canoe, but I aimed, as I judged, to head it off. I hoped the man in it was too bad to navigate it and that it would keep on drifting in the same direction. Presently it came up over the horizon again to the southwestward about. The afterglow of the sunset was well over now and the dim of night creeping up. The stars were coming through the blue. I swam like a champion, though my legs and arms were soon aching.

Glowing Things

"However, I came up to him by the time the stars were fairly out. As it got darker I began to see all manner of glowing things in the water—phosphorescence, you know. At times it made me giddy. I hardly knew which was stars and which was phosphorescence and whether I as swimming on my head or my heels. The canoe was as black as sin and the ripple under the bows like liquid fire. I was naturally chary of clambering up into it. I was anxious to see what he was up to first. He seemed to be lying cuddled up in a lump in the bows, and the stern was all out of water. The thing kept turning round slowly as it drifted—kind of waltzing, don't you know. I went to the stern and pulled it down, expecting him to wake up. Then I began to clamber in with my knife in my hand ready for a rush. But he never stirred. So there I sat in the stern of the little canoe, drifting away over the calm, phosphorescent sea, and with all the host of the stars above me, waiting for something to happen.

"After a long time I called him by name, but he never stirred. I was too tired to take any risks by going along to him. So we sat there. I fancy I dozed once or twice. When the dawn came I saw he was as dead as a doornail and all puffed up and purple. My three eggs and the bones were lying in the middle of the canoe, and the keg of water and some coffee and biscuits wrapped in a Cape Argus by his feet, and a tin of methylated spirits underneath him. There was no paddle, nor in fact anything except the spirit tin that one could use as one, so I settled to drift until I was picked up. I held an inquest on him, brought in a verdict against some snake, scorpion, or centipede unknown, and sent him overboard.

Water and Biscuits

"After that I had a drink of water and a few biscuits, and took a look round. I suppose a man low down as I was don't see very far, leastways Madagascar was clear out of sight, and any trace of land at all. I saw a sail going southward—looked like a schooner, but her hull never came up.

"Then came the atoll. Came out of the sunrise as it were, suddenly close up to me. I drifted straight toward it until I was about half a mile from shore—not more, and then the current took a turn, and I had to paddle as hard as I could with my hands and bits of the aepyornis shell to make the place. However, I got there. It was just a common atoll about four miles round, with a few trees growing and a spring in one place and the lagoon full of parrot fish. I took the egg ashore and put it in a good place well above the tide lines and in the sun, to give it all the chance I could, and pulled the canoe up safe and loafed about prospecting. It's rum how dull an atoll is. When I was a kid I though nothing could be finer or more adventurous than the Robinson Crusoe business, but that place was as monotonous as a book of sermons.

He Started Strutting Up and Down the Beach

Eating and Thinking

"I went round finding eatable things and generally thinking; but I tell you I was bored to death before the first day was out. It shows my luck—the very first day I landed the weather changed. A thunderstorm went by to the north and flicked its wing over the island, and in the night there came a drencher, and a howling wind slapped over us. It wouldn't have taken much, you know, to upset that canoe.

"I was sleeping under the canoe, and the egg was luckily among the sand higher up the beach, and the first I remember was a sound like a hundred pebbles hitting the boat at once and a rush of water over my body. I'd been dreaming of Antananarivo, and I sat up and yelled to Intoshi to ask her what the devil was up, and clawed out at the chair where the matches used to be. Then I remembered where I was. There were phosphorescent waves rolling up as if they meant to eat me, and all the rest of the night as black as pitch. The air was simply yelling. The clouds seemed down on your head almost, and the rain fell as if heaven was sinking and they were baling out the waters above the firmament. One great roller came writhing at me, like a fiery serpent, and I bolted. Then I though of the canoe, and ran down to it as the water went hissing back again, but the thing had gone. I wondered about the egg then, and felt my way to it. It was all right and well out of reach of the maddest waves, so I sat down beside it and cuddled it for company. Lord! What a night that was!

Wreck of Canoe

"The storm was over before the morning. There wasn't a rag of cloud left in the sky when the dawn came, and all along the beach there were bits of plank scattered—which was the disarticulated skelleton, so to speak, of my canoe. However, that gave me something to do, for, taking advantage of two of the trees being together, I rigged up a kind of storm shelter with these vestiges. And that day the egg hatched.

"Hatched, sir, when my head was pillowed on it and I was asleep. I heard a whack and felt a jar and sat up, and there was the end of the egg pecked out and a rum little brown head looking out at me. 'Lord!' I said, 'you're welcome,' and with a little difficulty he came out.

"He was a nice friendly little chap, at first, about the size of a small hen—very much like most other young birds, only bigger. His plumage was a dirty brown to begin with, with a sort of gray scab that fell off it very soon, and scarcely feathers—a kind of downy hair. I can hardly express how pleased I was to see him. I tell you Robinson Crusoe don't make near enough of his loneliness. But here was interesting company. He looked at me and winked his eye from the front backward like a hen, and gave a chirp and began to peck about at once, as though being hatched 300 years too late was just nothing. 'Glad to see you, Man Friday!' says I, for I had naturally settled he was to be called Man Friday if ever he was hatched as soon as ever I found the egg in the canoe had developed. I was a bit anxious about his feed, so I gave him a lump of raw parrot fish at once. He took it and opened his beak for more. I was glad of that, for, under the circumstances, if he'd been fanciful, I should have had to eat him after all.

An Interesting Bird

"You'd be surprised what an interesting bird that Aepyornis chick was. He followed me about from the very beginning. He used to stand by me and watch while I fished in the lagoon and go shares in anything I caught. And he was sensible, too. There were nasty green warty things, like pickled gherkins, used to lie about on the beach, and he tried one of these and it upset him. He never even looked at any of them again.

"And he grew. You could almost see him grow. And as I was never much of a society man, his quiet, friendly ways suited me to a T. For nearly two years we were as happy as we could be on that island. I had no business worries, for I knew my salary was mounting up at Dawson's. We would see a sail now and then, but nothing ever came near us. I amused mysel too by decorating the island with designs worked in sea urchins and fancy shells of various kinds. I put Aepyornis Island all round the place very neatly, in big letters like what you see done with colored stones at railway stations in the Old Country. And I used to lie watching the blessed bird stalking round and growing, growing, and think how I could make a living out of him by showing him about if ever I got taken off. After his first molt he began to get handsome, with a crest and a blue wattle, and a lot of green feathers at the behind of him. And then I used to puzzle whether Dawsons had any right to claim him or not. Stormy weather and in rainy season we lay snug under the shelter I had made out of the old canoe, and I used to tell him lies about my friends at home. It was a kind of idyll, you might say. If only I had had some tobacco it would have been simply just like heaven.

Paradise Goes Wrong

"It was about the end of the second year our little Paradise went wrong. Friday was then about fourteen feet high to the bill of him, with a big, broad head like the end of a pickaxe, and two huge brown eyes with yellow rims set together—not out of sight of each other like a man's. His plumage was fine—none of the half mourning style of your ostrich—more like a cassowary as far as color and texture go. And then it was he began to cock his comb at me and give himself airs and show signs of a nasty temper.

"At last came a time when my fishing had been rather unlucky and he began to hang about me in a queer, meditative way. I thought he might have been eating sea cucumbers or something, but it was really just discontent on his part. I was hungry, too, and when at last I landed a fish, I wanted it for myself. Tempers were short that morning on both sides. He pecked at it and grabbed it, and I gave him a whack on the head to make him leave go. And at that he went for me, Lord!

Scarred Face

"He gave me this in the face." The man indicated his scar. "Then he kicked me. It was like a cart horse. I got up, and seeing he hadn't finished I started off full tilt with my arms doubled up over by face. But he ran on those gawky legs of his faster than a racehorse, and kept landing out at me with sledge-hammer kicks and bringing his pickaxe down on the back of my head. I made for the lagoon, and went in up to my neck. He stopped at the water, for he hated getting his feet wet, and began to make a shindy, something like a peacock's, only hoarser. He started strutting up and down the beach. I'll admit I felt small to see this blessed fossil lording it there. And my head and face were all bleeding, and well, my body just one jelly of bruises.

"I decided to swim across the lagoon and leave him alone for a bit, until the affair blew over. I shinned up the tallest palm tree and sat there thinking of it all. I don't suppose I ever felt so hurt by anything before or since. It was the brutal ingratitude of the creature. I'd been more than a brother to him. I'd hatched him. Educated him. A great, gawky, out-of-date bird! And me a human being—heir of the ages and all that.

"I thought after a time he'd begin to see things in that light himself, and feel a little sorry for his behaviour. I thought if I was to catch some nice little bits of fish, perhaps, and go to him presently in a casual kind of way, and offer them to him, he might do the sensible thing. It took me some time to learn how unforgiving and cantankerous an extinct bird can be. Malice!

Aepyornis Rampant

"I won't tell you all the little devices I tried to get that bird round again. I simply can't. It makes my cheek burn with shame even now to think of the snubs and buffets I had from this infernal curiosity. I tried violence. I chucked lumps of coral at him from a safe distance, but he only swallowed them. I shied my open knife at him and almost lost it, though it was too big for him to swallow. I tried starving him out and struck fishing, but he took to picking along the beach at low water after worms, and rubbed along on that. Half my time I spent up to my neck in the lagoon, and the rest up the palm trees. One of them was scarcely high enough, and when he caught me up it he had a regular Bank Holiday with the calves of my legs. It got unbearable. I don't know if you have ever tried sleeping up a palm tree. It gave me the most horrible nightmares. Think of the shame of it, too! Here was this extinct animal mooning about my island like a sulky duke, and me not allowed to rest the sole of my foot on the place. I used to cry with weariness and vexation. I told him straight that I didn't mean to be chased about a dessert island by any damned anachronisms. I told him to go and peck a navigator of his own age. But he only snapped his beak at me. Great ugly bird—all legs and neck!

Settled at Last

"I shouldn't like to say how long that went on altogether. I'd have killed him sooner if I'd known how. However, I hit on a way of settling him at last. It's a South American dodge. I joined all my fishing lines together with stems of seaweed and things, and made a stoutish string, perhaps twelve yards in length or more. I fastened two lumps of coral rock to the end of this. It took me some time to do, because every now and then I had to go into the lagoon or up a tree as the fancy took me. This I whirled rapidly round my head and then let it go at him. The first time I missed, but the next time the string caught his legs beautifully and wrapped round them again and again. Over he went. I threw it standing waist deep in the lagoon, and as soon as he went down I was out of the water and sawing at his neck with my knife—

"I don't like to think of that even now. I felt like a murderer while I did it, though my anger was hot against him. When I stood over him and saw him bleeding on the white sand and his beautiful great legs and neck writhing in his last agony—Pah!

"With that tragedy, loneliness came upon me like a curse. Good Lord! you can't imagine how I missed that bird. I sat by his corpse and sorrowed over him and shivered as I looked round the desolate, silent reef. I thought of what a jolly little bird he had been when he was hatched and of a thousand pleasant tricks he had played before he went wrong. I thought if I'd only wounded him I might have nursed him round into a better understanding. If I'd had any means of digging into the coral rock I'd have buried him. I felt exactly as if he was human. As it was I couldn't think of eating him, so I put him in the lagoon and the little fishes picked him clean. Then one day a chap cruising about in a yacht had a fancy to see if my atoll still existed.

Sick of Desolation

"He didn't come a moment too soon, for I was about sick enough of the desolation of it, and only hesitating whether I should walk out into the sea and finish up the business that way, or fall back on the green things.

"I sold the bones to a man named Winslow—a dealer near the British Museum, and he says he sold them to old Havers. It seems Havers didn't understand they were extra large, and it was only after his death they attracted attention. They called 'em Aepyornis—what was it?"

"Aepyornis vastus," said I. "It's funny, the very thing was mentioned to me by a friend of mine. When they found an Aepyornis with a thigh a yard long they thought they had reached the top of the scale and called him Aepyornis maximums. Then some one turned up another thigh bone four feet six or more, and that they called Aepyornis Titan. Then your vastus was found after old Havers died, in his collection, and then a vastissimus turned up."

"Winslow was telling me as much," said the man with the scar. "If they get any more Aepyornises, he reckons some scientific swell will go and burst a blood vessel. But it was a queer thing to happen to a man; wasn't it—altogether.

Vancouver and His Great Adventure, 1757-1795

Conclusion: Arrival of the Explorer in England and Death Two and a Half Years Later. Appreciation of Great Navigator's Character and Work, Whose Deeds and Memory, Overshadowed by the Events of the Napoleonic Wars, Were Forgotten

DURING his absence from England Vancouver had been advanced, on August 28, 1794, to post rank, probably in recognition of his work, as shown by the despatches conveyed to England by Broughton. After the conclusion of the voyage he devoted all his energies to the preparation of the Journal for publication. This work is a continuous record of the gallant sailor's whole-hearted devotion to the tasks on which he was engaged. His fatherly care for the safety and health of his men is always apparent, the all-important attention to their food never being lost sight of, and when a boat surveying party is absent longer than expected he is full of anxiety and apprehensions. Never grudging in his praises of the officers and men, he speaks in one passage of the "consolation derived on all painful occasions by having the most explicit confidence in the discretion and abilities of my officers and the exertions and ready obedience of my people." His earnest desire that his work should be done as accurately as possible is very noticeable. Observations are compared and checked with scrupulous care, and if an observation made by Cook or some other voyager is found to be inaccurate it is only corrected after the closest investigation. The surveying work undertaken during the voyage was very extensive, including as it did the coast of Northwest America from 30 deg. north (Lower California) to 60 deg. north (Cook's Inlet, Alaska), the Sandwich Islands, and part of the southwest coast of Australia. A modern geographer says that Vancouver's survey was "so thorough and so accurate as to be available to the present day." Another eminent authority, Professor Davidson, of the University of California, who was for more than forty years engaged on the Pacific Coast with the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey, gives his testimony to the work in the following words: "I have gone over every foot of the work done by Vancouver on this Coast, and I wish to say that he was a great big man."

Kindly and Tactful

Vancouver's dealings with the natives were always kindly and tactful, and guided by a charitable consideration for their feelings and customs. Even when one of his parties is attacked he advances as a possible excuse that the natives may have been previously defrauded by dishonest traders, as he found some had been. On another occasion he refuses to allow a coffin to be opened or disturbed for fear of giving pain to the friends of the deceased. At the end of his Journal he attests that his sincere desire had been to always deal in such a way as should prevent the necessity of resorting to measures which might endanger the lives of the Indians, and after residing as it were amongst them for more than two years without having occasion to fire a shot in anger, he had fondly hoped to have completed his researches without the loss of life to a single individual belonging to the countries visited. In this, however, he was, as we know, disappointed. The number of Indians from Traitors' Cove who fell in the unprovoked attack on August 12, 1793, could not be ascertained, but with this exception only two men afterwards lost their lives in consequence of the expedition. A clergyman who was a missionary to the Sandwich Islands about twenty-five years ago, says that the natives loathed the memory of Cook, while, on the other hand, they loved that of Vancouver.

Continuing the consideration of Vancouver's character, we should judge that he was a man with strong affections. We have seen how he honored the memory of his mother, his sisters, his friends and his home by bestowing their names on the places he visited. We have read of his generous testimony to the good qualities of the Spaniard, whom he had for the time to look upon as his adversary. The following passage referring to the destruction of a boat shows the extremely sensitive nature of the man: "I do not recollect that my feelings ever suffered so much on any occasion of a similar nature as at this moment. The cutter was the boat I had constantly used; in her I had repeatedly escaped from danger; she had always brought me safely home; and, although she was but an inanimate conveniency, to which, it may possibly be thought, no affection could be attached, yet I felt myself under such obligation for her services, that when she was dashed to pieces before my eyes, an involuntary emotion suddenly seized my breast, and I was compelled to turn away to hide a weakness (for which, though my own gratitude might find an apology) I should have thought improper to have publicly manifested."

"Returning Home"

Lastly, we have this passage descriptive of his thoughts as the Discovery neared home: "As our distance from England every day and every hour decreased, so our happiness became augmented in the grateful anticipation of once more breathing our native air, once more reposing in the bosom of our country and expecting friends. Every breast as may be naturally imagined, was alive to sensations of the most pleasant nature, inseparable from the fond idea of returning home, after so long an absence, in an adventurous service to promote the general good, when unappalled by the consciousness of deserved reproach. In the midst of these agreeable reflections, however, presages of a melancholy cast would frequently obtrude upon the mind, and damp the promised joys in contemplation. Few of us had been blessed with any tidings from our families or friends since our last separation from them; and in the course of such a lapse of time, what changes might not have taken place, what events might not have happened to disappoint our hopes; rob us of our present peace; or cloud the sunshine of our future days! These were considerations of a most painful nature, and tinged our joyful expectations with solicitude and apprehension!"

The weather-worn sailor who penned these lines had for himself no "home," in the truest sense of the word, to look forward to. Brothers, sisters and friends were no doubt ready to greet him and to cheer the few remaining years of his life, but the home of his childhood at Lynn had passed to strangers, and his days were ended at an hotel only two and a half years later. He died at the Star and Garter Inn, Richmond Hill, Surrey, on May 10, 1798, after staying there about a fortnight. It is recorded that when he first entered the brewer room of the hotel he said, "In all my travels I never clept eyes on a more beautiful spot than this. Here would I live and here would I die." His grave is in the churchyard of St. Peters, Petersham. Inside the church is a mural tablet bearing the following inscription:

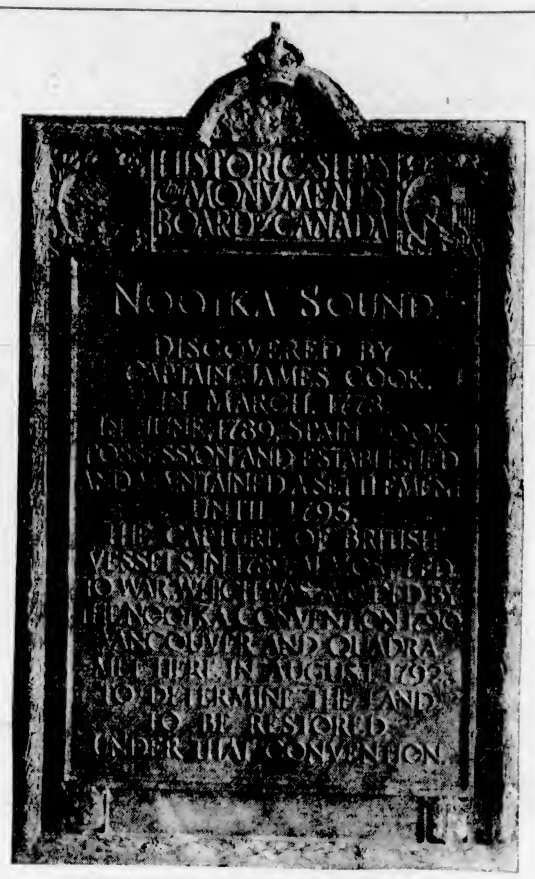
"In the cemetery adjoining this church were interred, in the year 1798, the mortal remains of Captain George Vancouver, R.N., whose valuable and enterprising voyage of Discovery to the North Pacific Ocean and round the world during five years of laborious survey added greatly to the geographical knowledge of his countrymen. To the memory of that celebrated navigator this monumental tablet is erected by The Hudson's Bay Company."

The grave outside is marked by a severely plain headstone, bearing the simple record: "Captain George Vancouver, died in the year 1798, aged 40."

He Lived in Deeds

Only two score years! And only twenty-six since he started on his first voyage! But how full of adventure and useful work that short life had been. Truly, "We live in deeds, not years."

The only contemporary notice of his death which we have seen is in The Gentleman's Magazine: "May 10, 1798. At Petersham, Surrey, Capt. Geo. Vancouver, of the Royal Navy, lately returned from a voyage round the world; an account of which, printed at the expense of the Board of Admiralty, is now ready for publication."



MARKS HISTORICAL SPOT AT NOOTKA SOUND
Tablet Commemorates Meeting of Captain Vancouver and Quadra on West Coast of Vancouver Island in August, 1792

Twelve days before his death, Vancouver made the following will: "Captain George Vancouver, being desirous of making arrangements of his property, has declared before us, this twenty-eighth day of April, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-eight, that he revoked all former wills, and that after paying a legacy of twenty-five pounds to his agent, Mr. Sykes, he gave to his elder brother, John Vancouver, the rest of his property, which is now about to be engaged in the purchase and improvement of Ealing Manor, in Berks, subject to the payment of fifty pounds per annum to his brother, Charles Vancouver, and of twenty-five pounds per annum to each of his sisters, Sarah and Mary Vancouver, during each of their natural lives, and that in the event of his brother, Charles Vancouver, dying before both or either of his sisters, then the annuity of fifty pounds per annum so given to him, Charles Vancouver, to be equally divided between his two said sisters, Sarah and Mary Vancouver."

It will be noticed that there is no mention in the will of Bridget, his eldest sister. His two other sisters and his two brothers were, however, then living. It would appear from the will that George was negotiating for the purchase of the Ealing Manor Estate in the parish of Hampstead Norris, Berks. The proposed purchase was not completed by John Vancouver.

Until within a few weeks of his decease, Vancouver was engaged in the preparation of the Journal of the voyage. The first two volumes were printed, and more than half the third. So far he had examined the work and compared it with the engraved charts of his discoveries. He had also prepared the introduction and the remainder of the third volume with the exception of about one hundred pages. His brother John, assisted by Captain Puget, completed the work, which was published in 1798 in three quarto volumes, with an accompanying folio of ten charts and six sheets of coast views. The work, which contains eighteen other engravings is now very scarce.

Dedication of Work

The dedication to King George III runs as follows:

"To the King.

"Sir,—Your Majesty having been graciously pleased to permit my late brother, Captain George Vancouver, to present to Your Majesty the narrative of his labors during the execution of your commands in the Pacific Ocean, I presume to hope that, since it has pleased the Divine Providence to withdraw him from Your Majesty's service, and from the society of his friends, before he could avail himself of that condescension, Your Majesty will, with the same benignity, vouchsafe to accept it from my hands, in discharge of the melancholy duty which has devolved upon me by that unfortunate event.

"I cannot but indulge the hope that the following pages will prove to Your Majesty, that Captain Vancouver was not undeserving the honor of the trust reposed in him; and that he has fulfilled the object of his commission from Your Majesty with diligence and fidelity.

"Under the auspices of Your Majesty, the late indefatigable Captain Cook had already shown that a southern continent did not exist, and had ascertained the important fact of the near approximation of the northern shores of Asia to those of America. To those great discoveries the exertions of Captain Vancouver will, I trust, be found to have added the complete certainty that, within the limits of his researches on the continental shore of Northwest America, no internal sea or other navigable communication whatever exists uniting the Pacific and Atlantic Oceans.

"I have the honor to be, Sir, with the most profound respect, Your Majesty's most faithful and devoted subject and servant, John Vancouver."

Sixty years later, when the northwest passage was discovered by Captain McClure's expedition, further north than Vancouver had looked for it, another son of Lynn, Samuel Gurney Cresswell, after carrying home despatches for the Admiralty, was welcomed in his native town as "the Englishman who first traversed the long sought northwest passage."

Vancouver's Journal

An octavo edition of Vancouver's Journal in six volumes was published in 1801. With this there was only one general chart, the copper plates from which the charts accompanying the first edition had been printed, having been lost in the meantime.

The Spaniards finally evacuated Nootka on March 28, 1795, when the British flag was hoisted there. It must have been very gratifying to Vancouver to hear of this event, crowning, as it did, the work of his voyage.

In the National Portrait Gallery, London, hangs a portrait of Vancouver, painted soon after his return from his long voyage, and described in the official catalogue as follows: "Painted probably by Lemuel F. Abbott (1760-1803). A half length figure wearing dark blue suit with gilt buttons and a plain white neck cloth, seated towards the right. On a table to the right lies a volume inscribed 'Holy Bible.' In the background, arranged on three shelves, are books of voyages, inscribed Cook's, Anson's, Magellan and Drake. A red curtain is behind to the left. The terrestrial globe beside him shows the North Pacific Ocean, and a line across it is inscribed 'Cook's Track.' Eyes dark yellow grey, fair complexion, smooth cheeks, red lips, double chin. Eyebrows broad, very dark, arched and remarkably short. Countenance rather youthful.'

In his native town there is no monument of any kind to the great navigator, and not a street nor even a house bears his name.

Although attached to the profession of arms, Vancouver was essentially a man of peace. His life is not accentuated by a series of bloody victories, and his death was not a tragic one. For many years his discoveries were not followed up. The Napoleonic wars were in full swing, and the country was absorbed in so many startling events nearer home. These considerations perhaps account for the fact that his career, after causing some passing interest at the time of his return and death, soon ceased to attract attention. It is only in quite recent years, consequent, doubtless, on the growing importance of the land so intimately associated with his labors, that enquiries have been made which have led to the disclosure of the facts which are so far known. As late as 1907, Professor Meany, of Washington, in his annotated reprint of the first volume of the Journal, commenting on the scarcity of information on the subject, said: "It is a matter of surprise . . . to find how very little is known of the man himself. . . . Brief biographies in the encyclopaedias keep his name from total oblivion. Through all these nothing is said of his family or his personality, the place of his birth is not mentioned, and even the exact date is unknown."

Additional Information

As time goes on, no doubt, further information will be forthcoming. One would like to know more about his father's family. Did they, as has been suggested, voluntarily immigrate into England to assist in work similar to what they had been accustomed in their native Holland, or were they refugees from the religious persecutions which drove so many of their compatriots to the shores of England. Beyond the fact that he must have worked industriously on his History, little is known of his doings in the few years which intervened between the completion of his voyage and his death. About his brothers and sisters, again, the information is extremely scanty. John was living in 1809, his wife having predeceased him in 1807, leaving, it is believed, no children. Of his other brother, Charles, and his sisters, nothing whatever is at present known.

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In this fast progressing Province the memory of Captain George Vancouver is held in great veneration. The spot where he met Senr. Quadra at Nootka is marked by a monument bearing the following inscription: "Vancouver and Quadra met here in August, 1792, under the treaty between Spain and Great Britain of October, 1790. Erected by the Washington University State Historical Society, August, 1903."

The island with which Vancouver's and Quadra's names were at first jointly linked, and which, owing to the agreement of its latitude with that of the Mother Country, and its similar relative position to the adjoining Continent, has been termed the "England of the Pacific," is now called by Vancouver's name only. On this island, at the charmingly situated city of Victoria (the seat of Government and capital of British Columbia), his statue crowns the dome of the magnificent Parliament Building; while on the Mainland, the commercial metropolis of Western Canada ("the Sunset Doorway of the Dominion, midway between the hemispheres, the point of egress from the New and the entrance from the Old") has been most fittingly named after him—VANCOUVER.

(The End)

Evolution of Bootlegging Lifts Business to Position of Respectability

By H. LE B. BERCOVICI, In The N.Y., Telegraph.

BOOTLEGGING has changed in the course of its evolution from business of a freelance, sporadic nature to a carefully organized trade that has in it some of the keenest brains and quickest nerves in American industry today.

There was a time when any one with nerve and a few dollars—or credit—could become a bootlegger. In those days there was little competition. The mere fact that a man had the liquor to sell would attract customers to him. The law of supply and demand put all the odds in his favor. Nowadays things are different. There are many bootleggers and customers are more finicky. The business now has become more and more standardized, and some of the better minds of the cloak and suit game, the knit underwear game, the banking game and other American sports have contributed their business sense and capital to this, the latest game.

The old-time crook is quickly being eliminated from the bootlegging industry. The competition of business-trained minds and organized capital is too much for him. He is confining his activities to working for the larger operators or working himself on a negligible and limited scale in the producing and selling ends.

Romance Disappears

Of course the romance has largely gone from the game. It is now a full-fledged business, and, if it operates under cover, that only gives larger freedom to its promoters and executives, and is no handicap to successful operation.

In the beginning bootlegging was mainly the business of those who had been left with a stock of liquor on their hands after the passing of the Prohibition Act. Some of these, in need of cash, sold their liquor right away at prices much above what they would have secured before, but ridiculously low compared to bootleg prices prevailing today. These people sold most of their liquor to their old customers and made very little effort to attract new trade.

But these old-time saloon keepers did not have easy sailing. When the easy pickings possible in the bootleg game became known many yeggmen and crooks entered the game. These, with less scruples and more nerve than their more stolid competitors, made much more money.

The ex-crooks did not sell such good liquor, they began to make and buy still-made stuff, and they also started to cut real liquor and used a modicum of real liquor in home-made stuff to give it the old-time taste. Liquor was easy to get. Dashes to Canada, motor boat trips to waiting boats offshore, truckloads of still product conveyed from warehouses and tenement bases, "alki" (alcohol) and bottles bought from a bootleg warehouse or a fellow in trade and they were all set.

Bootlegging Trips

Naturally, it was a generally known fact in well-informed bootleg circles when the various trips made by bootleggers and wholesalers, to Canada and ships off shore would be made for liquor. A whole circle of small dealers in some city would pool together to send somebody they trusted for a truckload or two if the real stuff, which, plus distilled water, bottles, and a little knowledge, doubled itself in quantity when arriving under the aegis of the Stars and Stripes.

The Government were considered easy to fix up by the bootleggers, and they were, with few exceptions.

The real danger was the one-time bootlegger turned pirate, the dreaded "hijacker." Even from crook and gunman standards the hijacker was, and is, an extremely tough parboiled egg, whose gun killed when it was used, and was used frequently.

At the first hijackers were just bootleggers turned traitor, in the main those ventures in the craft who were somewhat disappointed at the slow turns they received after their imagined outlook of profits in the business. A dark night, a quick car, a tip, a gun . . . and the hijacker would come with his load into some town in which he was not known personally, and where he could afford to sell his gun-bought liquor at prices much below those prevailing in its natural, uncut state.

Return to Old Haunts

The hijacker would sell his truck cheaply to some automobile dealer, and go back to his old haunts, or trek to some town a thousand miles away. Somewhere, between Lake George and Montreal, a bootlegger was dead, or his body was down at the bottom of one of the beautiful Adrondack Lakes. In some town there was a shortage of liquor for a few days. . . . And that was all. Nobody called the law in. This was a business of professionals, and a business in which there was no mercy.

Standardization crept into piracy. Instead of one lone hijacker, operating on his lonesome, gangs of hijackers patrolled the bootleg roads, and patrolled it much more regularly than those who get their pay from our taxes for doing so!

In the big cities these hijackers had their agents, but nobody knew they were hijackers, they acted as if they were representing, or the regular bootleggers, and secured orders and maintained "cutting" and rebottling plants like any official bootlegger in good local standing. Nobody knew that when they ordered liquor from one of these men to be delivered in a week or two they were signing the death warrant of some bootleg-car driver.

Hijacking Profitable

Naturally, the gangs found hijacking a much more profitable one than straight bootlegging, which generally involved more capital than they could muster, and soon the tougher element became hijackers, leaving regular bootlegging to the more sedate.

Taking a lesson from the captains of finance, the larger hijack gangs, through agents and backers in the bigger cities, merged their men and resources so as to operate on a larger scale. The development of the hijacker at that period of the industry's growth was much superior to that of the bootlegger, both wholesale, retail and manufacturer variety.

The individual free-lance hijacker was gradually driven out of business. If he was too stubborn to merge with one of the larger gangs he was hijacked himself, or attempted to form a gang of his own from the "left outs." Fights soon developed among the gangs, as that great watchword of modern industry, "co-operation," was only understood in a limited way.

These fights served the purposes of industrial evolution very well, and eliminated the weaker and more inefficient of the hijackers, so that soon those left in the business had it trustified to a great extent, and were able to employ better drivers and more accurate shots, because of their organized state and superior resources.

System Introduced

They divided the territory and victims among each other in a fairly systematic manner, and were specially quick to annihilate the free-lance hijacker and the smaller gang, operating without the authority of the chief's business. The accuracy, puzzling to victims and bootleggers, with which these hijackers "nailed" their victims is more easily understood when one takes into consideration the fact that the different executives were located as bootleggers in various large towns, and often even bought liquor from wholesale and "trip men" to keep up the deception. In this way they were always aware of the movements of their prospective victims.

The well-organized activities of the hijackers soon threw great fear into the hearts of the bootleggers. One or two hijack operations, and many a smaller bootlegger was completely wiped out. The efforts of the bootleggers to combat this evil were practically valueless. Individual bootleggers had very little chance against the well-organized bandits.

By that time many business men had come into bootlegging, seeing the huge profits in it.

More Capital Needed

These business men also needed much more capital to expand their business, and realized that it was impossible to attract capital even to a highly profitable business such as the one they were conducting while it still had the hazards of the hijacker to contend with.

The larger bootleggers inevitably came together, and pooled their resources in a protective alliance, which gradually led to many amalgamations of plants, selling and buying agents, traffic equipment, and personnel. The smaller bootlegger had to join one of the larger syndicates, or attempt to form his own. Otherwise he was frozen out by lack of protection against hijackers' activities or cut-throat competition as to quality and price, with the blackjack, knife and revolver being often the deciding argument as to co-operation. Many of the bootleggers now hired one or another of the larger hijacking combines to put annoying competitors out of business.

The newly organized and financed bootleggers proceeded systematically and efficiently to the elimination of the hijacker. They were able to find out the big city agents of the hijacking combine and ruin them by blackballing their business, and blackjacking them; they proceeded to have armed convoys guard their shipments, and in guarding were so vigorous that many hijackers left for a bourne where there is no bootlegging.

"Respectable" Bootlegging

So they succeeded in cleaning up their business, and converted many dishonest hijackers into substantial and respectable bootlegging citizens.

By control and standardization of sources of supply in the country, traffic between points, manufacture and doctoring, they soon had a strangle hold on the business from every point from the making or buying to the selling and deliveries, also fixed prices. Outlaw competition was visited with the same summary justice that hijacking had met with; and, because of their strength, they were able to bribe annoying servants of the law enmasse and employ the best legal talent for such of their members and employees as did get in the toils of the law through inspired stupidity.

Its evolution has been a slow but natural one, and one that has converted a sporadic attempt at law breaking into a great national industry.

When interviewed by The Morning Telegraph reporter, one of the largest bootleggers in the country, who prefers to remain anonymous for the sake of his son, said, "Service is our watchword. Service and reliability. With these as a motto what can we do but succeed?"

Stories of Passion, Mystery and Adventure

By H. C. McNeile, Author of "Bulldog Drummond"

No. 7—Mrs. Peter Skeffington's Revenge

THIS is the story of Mrs. Peter Skeffington.

She was a little fair-haired thing, with a pair of the most pathetic-looking blue eyes which deluded men into thinking she was helpless. Also into desiring strongly to kiss her. As far as I know Mrs. Peter Skeffington did not kiss men.

The scene of the story is South Africa. The exact locality in which it took place is neither here nor there, and is immaterial, because South Africa is a crude country—though an almighty pleasant one—whether you regard her from the top of the Corner House at Johannesburg or from the stoop of a back-veld farm. And the last thing little Mrs. Peter liked was crudeness.

She had another peculiarity—she adored her husband. Now far be it from me to say anything against Peter Skeffington. In his way he was a very good fellow; in his correct setting he might have done admirably. But South Africa was not that setting.

She is a crude country, but she is also a strong country, and she demands of those who seek to live on her that they fight and fight, and go on fighting. Skeffington gave up before the first "i" in the first fight was dotted. In fact the only thing that happened before he gave up fighting was that South Africa discovered his weakness. She always does discover a man's weakness sooner or later; she found Peter Skeffington's before he'd used his first ten-shilling book of chits at the Rand Club, at which he'd been made an honorary member for the duration of his stay in Johannesburg. Of that, however, more a little later.

A Conundrum

What exactly brought the Peter Skeffingtons to the country is one of those little conundrums which no logic or argument can solve. At Surbiton—let us say—they could have lived and moved and had their being without any harm to Surbiton or themselves. In South Africa something had to happen. As food Peter and his wife were thoroughly indigestible to the land of their choice, and that entails a pain somewhere.

Why it was the land of their choice is, as I have said, insoluble logically. Any man who knew the conditions of living would have told them that they were totally unsuited for those conditions. He would also have told them that out of the many land advertisements appearing so bravely in the columns of leading London newspapers, ninety per cent are cold-blooded, dastardly swindles. Some day, incidentally, if I sit next the editor of these papers at dinner I must ask him why he allows these advertisements, but prohibits moneylenders. You do get something out a moneylender anyway; it would save trouble to drop your money in the sea in the case of the others.

To return, however, to the Peter Skeffingtons. Why they came matters not—they came. By a great stroke of fortune they missed the ninety per cent already alluded to, and stumbled into one of the seven per cent class which are fair to good without being very good. The three per cent if very good are shy, retiring birds; they can afford to be.

Sit Down and Wait

They found themselves, did the Peter Skeffingtons, in a proposition which in time, when God and the Government decreed (principally the Government, in this case: it was the usual question of irrigation), would turn out thundering well and give them a very ample and pleasant return for their money. In the meantime there was nothing to do but to sit down and wait. Which is a dangerous proceeding for some people in South Africa: especially for people with the weakness of Peter Skeffington.

To those who know, the fact that Peter's weakness was made manifest at the Rand Club is all that is necessary. There are others, however, who are not so well informed.

Of all the magnificent buildings in that marvellous mushroom city, Johannesburg, the Rand Club is one of the most symbolical. In it you may obtain the comforts, cellar, and table of the most exclusive London club: in it you may see—the world. Every sort and condition of man who has been, is, or will be anything in South Africa at some time or another has stood at the great three-sided bar. There was one man whose boast it was that he hadn't, and he died of drinking poisoned water.

You will see a man there who yesterday made a hundred thousand on a rumor concerning asbestos; beside him is the man who lost a good part of it. You will see a cheerful, friendly soul surrounded by pals. The calling is on him, and why not? He only owes them half a million, and his present assets he would sell willingly for a hundred. Moreover, they know it. But in addition you will also see all the men who really count.

Drink Slowly

But one great rule is necessary for the Stranger within the Gates—learn to drink slowly. And since Peter Skeffington did not know this rule—though, seeing that his weakness was what it was, it wouldn't have much mattered if he had—South Africa had brutally probed the joint in his armor exactly one hour after he entered the bar of the Rand Club.

The trouble was threefold. First he couldn't say no. Second, he had no head for drink. Third, and worst of all, he thought he had. Which is just about as hopeless a combination as can be gathered together in a man. But had they remained in England there is no doubt in my mind that the Peter Skeffingtons would have carried on quite happily, and lived to a ripe old age. In the year 1960 he would have alluded to the days when he was young and boys were boys and whisky was whisky. Because, and this is the point, Peter Skeffington was not a drunkard. He was a weak young ass who periodically drank far too much when opportunity offered. But it was the opportunity that was required—not the drink. You could have locked him up in a cellar of wine with safety for a week; you couldn't trust him in a third-rate bar for half an hour with a couple of pals. And if only someone who understood could have explained that simple fact to his wife this story would never have been written.

In the particular portion of South Africa where the Peter Skeffingtons had settled, opportunities were as blackberries on an Autumn hedge. The type of opportunities, too, were of exactly the sort to prove most dangerous. In the first place, he had nothing to do; in the second, most of the days which he had to do it in were hot, dusty, arid and shadeless; in the third, there were exactly twenty-seven other men in a similar position; in the fourth, there was a club placed centrally in the community, where the twenty-eight met each evening for their sundowner and discussed what particular brand of nothingness they had done during the day. And discussion is dry work, especially when it concerns that ever-prevalent subject—lack of water.

Six Days a Week

The net result was obvious. Peter Skeffington returned home in varying degrees of insobriety exactly six days of the week out of seven. That was due to the fact that the club was shut on Sundays. I was one of the twenty-eight, so I know. We didn't notice it particularly at first, because he never got offensively tight, but after a while its monotony made it obvious, and several of us refused to drink with him. But it didn't do any good; there was always someone who would. Particularly Jack Dernan. . . .

Dernan was the typical product of a young country. Tall, broad-shouldered, powerful as a horse, tanned mahogany, he was a fighter from the beginning of the chapter. And if there was one thing for which he had profound contempt it was weakness in any form. Now I don't think he realized for a moment what he was doing with Peter Skeffington. Certainly not at first. He regarded him with a kind of good-natured toleration, mingled with slight wonder. He was so completely the type of man that Dernan had no use for, that he was a source of amusement. Possessed of a head that no amount of liquor ever had the slightest effect on, it was with genuine feelings of amazement that he regarded the amount necessary to render Peter Skeffington drunk.

"No well-conditioned fly could drown in it," he once remarked wonderingly. "The fellow's a damn freak.'

But he didn't seem to be able to let him alone. Peter Skeffington's complete inability to absorb liquor seemed to fascinate him. He used to take mental notes of the amounts each night, and the condition arrived at. And after a time he and two or three others started private side-bets on the result.

"Rather on the principle of the daily run on board ship," he explained. "Numbers from 6 to 12; 9 and 10 are good favorites, but the High Field hasn't an earthly. He'd be dead if he took more than a dozen, I should think."

"Go easy Jack," said someone. "It can't go on like this."

"Great Scott!" cried Dernan. "I don't want to make the fellow tight. He rushes at it with his mouth open himself."

Tragedy Gathers Form

And so another of the tragedies—the square peg and round hole tragedies—began to gather form and shape: a tragedy which, as one traces it backwards, could have been so easily averted. If only someone could have explained things to Mrs. Peter—the real truth, instead of what she thought was the truth. If only someone could have said: "Take him away back to England, out of this country, and never let him return here save on a Cook's personally conducted tour," all would have been well. But no one did say it, and so she took him to Durban instead, to fight this insidious devil that had crept into her Peter's life—the devil of drunkenness.

She took him to Durban, where they could get sea bathing, and golf and tennis, and I saw them off at the station. And there was a look in Mrs. Peter's pathetic blue eyes that I had never seen there before. It was not one of helplessness.

They stayed away three months, and the devil was conquered with surprising ease. But it was the wrong devil: the real one wasn't there to fight. There was lots to do in Durban: there was no small dusty club in Durban: and Peter, who was thoroughly ashamed of himself, behaved adorably to her in Durban. He made her all sorts of promises and vows about the future which he honestly intended to keep. And as proof of his assertions he pointed out to her the complete ease with which he had given up the stuff. Which would have meant a great deal more if they hadn't been chasing the wrong hare.

And so, the cure over, they returned triumphantly to begin all over again. For a fortnight the Club never saw him, though he drove past once or twice behind a new horse he had bought—an ugly looking black brute with a vicious eye that no one but a Peter Skeffington would have touched with the end of a barge pole.

Bolt From the Blue

And then one evening, like a bolt from the blue, came the tragedy. Peter Skeffington came into the club, and found Jack Dernan and four or five others. That was at six. At six-thirty he was drunk and our secretary was tearing his hair with irritation and anger.

It's incredible," he fumed. "It's outrageous. It's indecent. Five—five drinks has that fellow had, and look at him. He's a menace to humanity. Why, damn it, a baby in arms would drink him under the table."

"But look here," I began angrily.

"Mea culpa, my boy," he answered. "I admit it. I said to the blighter when I saw him: 'Hullo, little stranger, have a drink?' I give you my word at the moment I'd completely forgotten all about the show. 'I will,' he answered, and then the matter passed completely out of my hands. I left him for about twenty minutes which I talked to Jackson about that mealie crop, and when I got back I found he had had four more with Jack Dernan and some others, and was tight."

He shrugged his shoulders helplessly.

"Man, you can't legislate for a bloke that gets tight on five whiskies and sodas."

"It's Mrs. Peter I'm thinking of," I said. "The poor little woman thinks she's saved Skeffington's soul from the curse of drink, and the first time he comes into the club he goes and does it again."

Peter Skeffington

A burst of laughter came from the bar, and I went in. There were about ten of them in there, and Peter Skeffington was holding forth very solemnly on the political situation in the Union. So I got Jack Dernan on one side, and put things in front of him.

"Look here, Jack," I said, "It's not playing the game to make that silly ass tight again."

"Give you my word, old man," he answered, "no one was more surprised than I was. We were playing poker dice, and we'd only had four rounds when blowed if I didn't notice he was up the pole. Somebody had got the sweepstake going, and I found I'd drawn Low Field. Well, seeing that the first number is six I reckoned the pool was mine."

He glanced at Skeffington, who was swaying gravely by the bar.

"I really am deuced sorry, but what can you do with a fellow like that?"

"Well, for Heaven's sake stop him drinking any more," I said. "We'll lay him out to cool for a bit, and then I'll drive him home."

But Peter Skeffington had no intention whatever of being laid out to cool. He had got into the condition when he was very much on his dignity. Really, by the way we were talking, if it wasn't so perfectly ridiculous, anyone who didn't know any better might imagine that we thought he had had too much to drink. He was perfectly capable, thank you, of looking after himself, and he knew the time quite well, and also that his horse and trap were waiting outside, a fact to which he trusted no one took any exception.

"Hopeless"

Jack Dernan shrugged his shoulders.

"Hopeless," he said to me. "He's worse than I've seen him. And if we go on he'll get offensive, and someone will hurt him."

It was half an hour later that Peter Skeffington descended the steps leading into the road. His eys were slightly glazed; his speech was very precise; his legs moved stiffly. And suddenly—I know not why—an impulse came to me as I sat on the stoop watching him.

"I wish you'd let me drive you back, Skeffington. I'd rather like to feel the paces of that mare."

He regarded me solemnly.

"Another time, Tredgett, I shall be delighted," he said. "At the moment, however, the other seat is occupied with two large bags of chicken food."

"Well, for God's sake be careful with that brute tonight," said the secretary uneasily, as he saw her ears go back and the whites of her eyes show up.

"I am perfectly capable of handling her," replied Skeffington coldly, and even as he spoke he lurched against the mare, who lashed out viciously.

"Dash it," cried the secretary, half rising to his feet. "Ought we to let him go? He's not in a condition to drive."

But Skeffington was already in his seat gathering up the reins with clumsy fingers.

"Go easy, man," cried someone, and for answer the fool slashed the animal across the quarters.

Stark Tragedy

For the fraction of a second she stood stock still at the suddenness of it; then it happened. With a spring like a thing demented the mare shot forward; there was a jerk and a crash, and the next moment she had bolted down the road with the trap swaying behind her.

"God! She's away with him."

I turned to find Jack Dernan behind me, and his face was white. We were all out in the road watching and no one else spoke. For the chicken food had been hurled out and the reins were trailing low, and Peter Skeffington was half standing, half sitting in that crazy, tearing buggy. Once we thought it was over, but it righted itself again somehow, and then came the end. One lurch into a rut, more crazy than the others, and Skeffington was flung out. And the next moment we were all of us rushing madly down the road towards him, for it seemed to us that he had hit a tree.

It was Jack Dernan who got there first, and when we got up he was standing by the thing that lay on the ground, and his hat was off. Peter Skeffington had hit a tree—with his head.

In the distance a cloud of dust was disappearing, as the maddened mare, now completely out of control, galloped on, whilst here at our feet was sudden, stark tragedy.

"No good doing that," said Dernan gruffly, as somebody put his hand on Peter Skeffington's heart. "'Look at his head."

I did—and shuddered. His hands had hardly broken the impact at all. So we got the body back to the club, and there we held a council of war. And by common consent I was deputed to break the news to Mrs. Peter.

"Of course," said the secretary, "you'll not mention the fact that he was drunk."

"Of course not," I answered, as I went out to start my Ford.

The Waiting Wife

But I wondered as I drove there whether she wouldn't guess.

I found her waiting for me wildeyed with fear. The mare had come back twenty minutes previously.

"What's happened?" she gasped. "What's happened to Peter?"

"Mrs. Peter," I said miserably, "you must prepare for a shock."

"He's dead," she said quietly, and I nodded.

"How did it happen?" she said after a while. "Don't be afraid," she added as I glanced at her. "I shan't break down—yet. I want to hear—everything."

So I told her, and when I'd finished she only asked one question.

"Was Mr. Dernan in the club?"

I stared at her in surprise; it was so completely unexpected.

"Why, yes," I said. "Jack Dernan was there."

And into her eyes there came a look to which I had no clue. It seemed to show a sort of savage determination, but to what end or on what account I could not guess.

She seemed strangely docile during the next few days. For instance, I had anticipated that she would insist on seeing her husband's body, and there were reasons why she shouldn't. The poor devil had hit that tree hard. However, when I explained things to her she made no trouble, but seemed to understand perfectly. And another thing that surprised us all was the way she bore un. Even at the graveside she retained her perfect composure, and I heard Mrs. Drage whisper to a woman standing next her: "She's like a woman in a dream: she'll wake up soon."

Appalling Grief

But she didn't: that was the amazing part of it. What happened during the long nights when she was alone only she and God knew: certain it was that during the days that followed her husband's death I never saw a trace of grief on Mrs. Peter's face. And I was up there, off and on, a good deal; she seemed to like having me about the place. Only that strange look—that look of set purpose—was stamped on her features, and it seemed to grow more quietly determined as time went by. She wasn't going to get rid of her farm, at any rate, not yet; and I used to give her advice about it.

And then, about two months after Peter's death, business called me up to Rhodesia. I should be away for six months, and I went up the afternoon before I left to say good-bye. She gave me tea, and afterwards I sat on talking about the farm and various things, though I could see she was paying no attention.

For the chicken food had been hurled out, and the reins were trailing low, and Peter Skeffington was half standing, half sitting, in that crazy, tearing buggy.

And then suddenly she shot the question at me out of the blue; at least it wasn't a question so much as a statement.

"Of course, Peter was drunk that night." She looked at me with a faint smile. "There's no good denying it, Joe: your face has already given you away. Besides—I knew."

"He undoubtedly," I began feebly, "had had something to drink."

She stopped me with a weary little gesture.

"Oh, call it that if you like," she said. "I prefer not to mince words. He was drunk, and you know it. You remember I took him to Durban, don't you?"

"Of course, I remember," I answered.

Drinking Too Much

"And you know why I took him," she went on. "He was drinking too much at that—that damnable club. Every night, Joe; practically every night. I cured him at Durban: never once the whole time he was there did my Peter get into that foul condition. He was cured when he got back."

I said nothing: I didn't see that there was anything to say. Of what use to tell her that he wasn't cured at all, because there was nothing to cure. Such refinements were beyond her: to her a man who got drunk was a drunkard.

"He talked to me while he was in Durban," she went on quietly, "when he was fighting against the craving."

"He told you he had a craving for it?" I asked curiously.

"But, of course, he must have had a craving for it," she said, staring at me as if I were a fool. "Why else should he have drunk? But he fought against it, and I helped him—and my Peter won. He was fine about it—fine."

"Quite," I agreed. "It was fine."

Once again there didn't seem anything else to say. I suppose it is finer to fight and conquer a terrible craving than to admit that one is so atrociously weak that one can't say no, even when one doesn't want the stuff.

"Yes, he talked a lot to me during those months," went on Mrs. Peter quietly. "Particularly about Mr. Dernan."

"The devil he did!" I said, sitting up. "What had he got to say about him?"

She had turned away and I couldn't see her face.

"A great deal about his character," she answered almost carelessly. And then she swung round, and I gasped at the look in her eyes. "To my mind," she said tensely, "there is no hell deep enough, no punishment sufficient vile for a man of that type."

"But, good God!" I stammered feebly. "I assure you, Mrs. Peter, that Jack Dernan isn't at all a bad fellow."

A Human Demon

And the look she gave me flattened me out.

"To get hold of a man who has been fighting to conquer a craving, and who has succeeded, and tempt him, and tempt him, and tempt him until he falls again is your idea of a good fellow, is it? It isn't mine."

My mind went back to the night of the tragedy, and I realized the futility of any argument. To Mrs. Peter, her husband was a man who had fought and won, only to yield at last to the devilish temptation cast in his way by Jack Dernan. And was any good to be obtained by telling her the truth; telling her that, as a matter of fact, the first drink he had had that night had not been with Dernan at all? Telling her, moreover, that it would have made no odds if no such person existed in the world as Jack Dernan: that Peter Skeffington had been of the clay which, in certain conditions, was unsavable?

So I let it go, and even now, looking back with the light of what was to come behind me, I should do the same thing again under similar circumstances. For who could possibly have told that a woman of the type of Mrs. Peter could have done the thing she did?

I got back from Rhodesia eight months later, and one of the first men I ran into was Jack Dernan. He was in the club as I came in, and I stopped short and stared at him in amazement.

"Good Lord, old man!" I cried. "What's the matter with you? Malaria?"

He looked ghastly: grey, with lack-lustre eyes, and a loose mouth. He stared at me vacantly for a while, then he spoke.

"Go to hell," he snarled, and stambled out of the club.

"What do you think of him?" came the secretary's voice from behind me.

"What on earth is the matter with him?" I said as I swung round to greet him. "The man looks dreadful."

"Come and have a drink, Tredgett," he answered gravely. "I want to talk to you."

Woman's Infatuation

I followed him into the bar and we sat down in a corner. Luckily we had it to ourselves.

"You know, I suppose, that he's never out of Mrs. Skeffington's pocket?"

"What!" I almost shouted, my drink halfway to my lips.

"Never out of her pocket," he repeated quietly. "I'm pretty lax myself, as you know; anybody can do anything within reason, as far as I'm concerned; but this has been a bit over the odds. None of the women here will have anything to do with her, but she doesn't seem to care. She's infatuated with the fellow, and he with her. But she's thrown the most rudimentary social laws to the wind. There's no reason presumably why they shouldn't get married: I've never heard of Dernan being entangled in any way. Instead of that he's up at her bungalow—alone with her until all hours of the night. And I'm really not surprised that everyone has put the worst construction on it."

And in my mind was ringing a certain sentence:

"To my mind there is no hell deep enough no punishment sufficient vile for a man of that type."

"But it's the change in the man himself that is so amazing," went on the secretary. "You remember what he was like; you saw him a few minutes ago. And he's worse than that sometimes. His temper has become unbearable—positively unbearable. In fact, at times he's positively dangerous."

But I was hardly listening; into my mind had come a sudden, grastly suspicion.

"Has he seen a doctor?" I asked, striving to make my voice sound natural.

The secretary smiled grimly. "Tim Murphy suggested that very thing to him," he said. "But he only did so once. Dernan flew into the most ungovernable rage, and went for him. Here in this actual bar. We had the devil of a job pulling him off, and Murphy was nearly throttled before we did. I tell you, Tredgett, the man's dangerous."

"And has no one any idea what is the matter?" I said.

Rawed-Up Nerves

The secretary shrugged his shoulders.

"He's knocking off drink considerably," he answered. "Why, I don't know. Possibly the lady has a lot to do with it. And whether it's finding him out—rawing up his nerves, or something of that sort—I don't know. Anyhow, you've seen him for yourself, and can form as good an opinion as I can."

I escaped as soon as I could, and went back to my bungalow. Suspicion was hammering at my brain, and I wanted to think. Could it be possible that Mrs. Peter was poisoning him? That was the ghastly thought that would not be shaken off. Of what use to tell myself that the idea was incredible: that such things don't happen outside the covers of sensational fiction? Such things do happen, and though Mrs. Peter was the last woman in the world one would have deemed capable of such a thing, I couldn't forget the look in her face the last time I had seen her. And if my suspicion was right, what was going to be the upshot? Sooner or late a man in Jack Dernan's condition of health would have to see a doctor and—what then?

I tried to concentrate on arrears of work, but the figures danced before my eyes. The short dusk had gone, and outside the African night had come down, bringing no relief from the heat of the day. But I felt I could stand it no longer. I must find out for myself. Nothing would be more natural, I reflected, than that I should go and see Mrs. Peter on my return after such a long absence. And if Dernan was there I might be able to come to some conclusion.

I pulled out the Ford and started off. And it was only as I approached, Mrs. Peter's bungalow that I suddenly decided to leave the car in the road and walk up the last few hundred yards. My feet made no sound on the earth track, and I was within twenty yards of the house when I saw a sight which stopped me dead in my tracks.

The light was shining out from the drawing-room windows, and I could see every de-

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Have You the Nerve to Say "I Dont Know"?

The Curse of Cock-Sureness in Business and Domestic Life—The Temptation of a Quick Reply and What May Follow—Authorities on Subjects They Have Never Met

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"THE trouble with you," said old Jason Peddy, "is that you ain't got the inn'ards to say you dunno."

Jason was in the process of discharging a young man who had held precariously the position of clerk in his general store, and believed that strict justice demanded he should furnish reasons for his action. Jason confined himself almost entirely to what had happened in his country store, because of the young man's cock-sureness. But do not Jason's remarks have bearing on all walks of life and on what is caused generally in business or domestic affairs by the inability or unwillingness to say "I don't know'?

"I don't mind your not knowin' nothin' if you'd jest own up to it," old Jason continued. "But you're one of them consarned folks as can't ever own up he don't know the answer. If you was dumb, and owned up you was dumb, I could abide you. I'd know what you was good for, and figger accordin'. But a body can't figger nothin' when he hain't put in possession of the facts.

No Disgrace in Not Knowing

"No, sir, what I want's a feller that'll ask when he don't know. When I tell somebody to do suthin' and he don't understand, I want he should ask. Then the' won't be no mistakes. But you don't ever do that. You jest take the bull by the horns, and mostly it's me gets gored in the process.

"The' hain't no disgrace not knowin' a thing. I dunno's I kin call to mind a single fact that any man's got to know or be ashamed of himself. And I hain't never met a feller that knew everythin'. Even me. Now take, for instance, this mornin'. I says to you, says I, 'Send Mis' Jacobs a pound of tea.' Well, any dumb fool kin send her the fust pound of tea he comes to. Now I don't know that you hain't acquainted with what kind of tea Mis' Jacobs wants. And you go ahead and send her English Breakfast, and she's like to drag my ear off complainin' about it.

"Diggin' for Facts"

"You didn't know and you didn't ask. What's matter? Did you figger I was goin' to think less of ye if you asked if she wanted her tea green or black?

"Yeah, and t'other day I says to you, 'Jim what wholesale house handles them Quality Brand peaches?' You speak right up and say it's Grant and Martin, so I send in my order for half a dozen crates of 'em. And I'm in a hurry. What do I get back? Peaches? I don't. I git back a letter sayin' they don't carry that brand, but kin give me suthin' better.

"You didn't have no idee who carried them peaches, but you didn't have the face to say so. And I come in for a extry week's delay. I dunno what ails ye, Jim. You're perty smart, but you jest hain't got sense.

"Didn't you ever figger out the reason folks asked questions was to git the right answers? They don't ask jest to make talk, nor yet in a mean attempt to see how ignorant you be. They're out diggin' for facts, and you're cheatin' when you give an answer you know is wrong, or that you hain't sure of. Nobody in the world cares a durn what you know, but they kin get perty irritated with you if you pertend to know when you don't.

The Amateur Forecaster

"If I was to ask you what kind of weather we'd have next week of a Thursday, you'd up and tell me rainy or suthin'. You wouldn't never say you hadn't set up for a weather prophet.

"Twan't but the other day Mis' Brown come in here and bought her a box of that new-fangled codfish, and she says to you, 'How long's a body got to soak this before cookin'?' So you says, 'Don't soak it a-tall.' So she goes home, figgerin' you know your business, and cooks it with cream gravy and all, and serves it. The whole fambly's been guzzlin' water ever since to git the salt out of their systems, and Mis' Brown's gone to trade across the street.

"You can't do no harm bein' ignorant. It's like a precipice. A body takes care not to fall off of one if he knows it's there, but mebby he'll walk over it in the dark if he don't know his geography. Ignorance is like that. If you know a body's afflicated with it, you kin keep away from him, or treat him cautious. But when he's ignorant and sticks up a sign sayin' he's wise, why, then he's about as dangerous as a loaded shotgun in a loonatic asylum.

A Good Motto

"I went to a young lawyer once, and says, 'Kin I do so-and-so?' He sat and figgered a minute and told me to go ahead. I done so, and reaped a law suit. Next time I went to an old feller for my law, and I asked him and he says, 'Jason, you got me stumped. Danged if I kin answer off-hand. I got to look up them authorities.' Which he done, and the' wa'n't no law suit. So I been givin' that feller my business ever since.

"If you don't know, look it up. That's a rattlin' good motto for anybody, lawyer or grocery clerk. Why, hain't anybody knows everythin'. I bet the Encyclopedy hain't got every answer in it. But when it does answer, it answers right—and gives you the authority fur it.

"Now take the case of the Lincoln-Douglas debates that come off before the Civil War. Happens that I've read consid'able about 'em. Wall, Old Abe he puts a question to the Little Giant at Freeport, and Douglas he up and answers just like you done about the codfish. Abe figgered on that. Douglas answered right smack back without really knowin' or figgerin' results. And what was the results? Why, Douglas won that election for Senator, but right afterwards that question and answer come up and slapped him in the face and lost him the hull South, and he didn't get to be President, but Abe Lincoln did.

Hiring Knowledge

"If he'd up and said to that crowd, 'Now, boys, Abe here's put a question that'll puzzle a Philadelphy lawyer, and it puzzles me consid'able. The' must be an answer to it and a right answer, but I don't see it this afternoon. But I'm goin' to make a speech Friday and I'll answer it then.' Maybe some would have thought he wa'n't quick-witted, but he wouldn't of suffered much. And he might 'a' found a better answer and got to be President.

"When I hire a feller to clerk for me, I got a right to what brains he's got—if any. I hain't got a nickle's wurth of right to any brains or knowledge he hain't got. I hire him on the hoof and kind of estimate what he's wuth to me as he stands. It's my lookout if he don't know as much as I figgered. It hain't his fault. So I hain't got no right to blame him if I find he's shrunk mental from the weight I guessed him at.

A Just Complaint

"All he's got to do, to hold a job with me, is jest to go along and deliver what he's got. That'll content me. But the minute he gits to pretendin' he knows more'n he does, then I got a just complaint. I figgered him so many pounds of beef, but it turns out he's got an extry weight from drinkin' a tub of water before I bought. So I git water where I figgered on beef. Git the idee?

"If I say to you, "Where's them rattraps?' and you let on you hain't never heard of 'em, I know where I'm at. I kin either go hunt for 'em myself or tell you to nose around till you find 'em. But if, not knowin' a thing, you say on a guess that they're in a box in the stockroom on the third floor, and I go up there carryin' my age and weight, and it turns out the's can rubbers in that box, I got a right to speak severe and pointed.

"No, next time I hire a feller, I'm going to ask him questions. I'm goin' to say to him, 'Young feller, I hain't demandin' of you to know everythin', but I want what you know to be so. I hain't hirin' you to have you play jokes onto me and my customers.'

Talents That Pester

"I'm goin' to say to him, 'When you don't know the answer, say so. Don't beat around the bush, and don't dodge, and don't guess. Say you don't know, and then try to find out so as you'll know next time. No feller ought to have the same question asked him about his business twice, and him not know the answer.'

"I'll say to him, "How kin I teach you if I don't know what you don't know?' Nobody ever made a fool of himself admittin' his ignorance, but I've seen a sight of folks made to look perty silly by settin' themselves up as authorities on subjects they never met.

"Yea, Jim, I got all of you I kin digest, so I'm askin' you to take them talents of your'n where they'll pester somebody else. I hain't sayin' but what you earned more'n I paid you certain ways. I got the wuth of my money out of your sweepin' and fetchin' and carryin'.

The Right Answer

"But all I got that way I lost, and more too, follerin' false scents and calmin' mad customers, and settlin' with them that was damaged by your tellin' 'em positive how to do it, and bein' all wrong. Mebby I'll miss ye, Jim. You sure kept me occupied, and when I wa'n't busy rectifyin' your guesses, I could keep from gittin' lonesome by guessin' what trouble you'd git me into next. I won't have so much fun, mebby, but I'll sleep easier and take on weight.

"You're perty smart, Jim, but the's one thing you got to learn or some feller's goin' to cut your career short off with an ax. What's that? Why, Jim, you got to learn that there's jest one answer to a question you hain't familiar with, and that is, 'I'm doggoned if I know.'"

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Stories of Passion, Mystery and Adventure

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tail of the room through the mosquito netting. Jack Dernan was there, sitting on the sofa, and his arms were round Mrs. Peter. His face seemed more ghastly than ever, though she was looking up into it lovingly. And suddenly he bent and kissed her.

"Isn't it time yet, my dearest?"

His voice harsh and discordant, came to me through the still night.

She reached for a little box at her side, and drew out something that gleamed. And in my excitement I crept closer. He was holding out his arm with the sleeve rolled up, and I saw her taking the shining thing in one hand, whilst with the other she caught up a little roll of his skin. And then I knew; knew that what I'd suspected was true. She was giving him an injection from a hypodermic syringe.

For perhaps five minutes after she had done it he lay still, and you could almost watch his face change. The grey tinge disappeared; the shifty mouth grew firm; the eyes became clear. It was the old Jack Dernan who rose to his feet—more, it was a super Jack Dernan. He stood there, a magnificent figure of a man, with a look on his face of absolute triumph.

"My darling," he cried, "how long are you going to keep me waiting?"

His arms were stretched out to her; even I could feel the commanding presence of the man.

Playing a Game

And Mrs. Peter lay in the corner of the sofa and laughed.

"You fool," she answered very clearly. "You damned fool."

His arms dropped to his side and he stared at her.

"What do you mean?" he stammered.

"Only that I've been playing a game with you, Mr. Jack Dernan—and I've won." She rose and crossed to the other side of the room so that the table was between them. "A game—you beast, you cur—and you never knew. You thought I was in love with you, when I hate you, loathe you, execrate you. If it hadn't been for you my Peter would have been alive tonight, you—you murderer. Listen, Jack Dernan, listen now—while the dope is in you, and your brain is working clearly. I've led you on from the very beginning, even though the touch of your hands nauseated me, and there were times when I didn't think I could go through with it. It doesn't matter how I got hold of the stuff; it was during that time I went up to Johannesburg. I went up there to get it, and I got it. That's all that counts. Then I came back here, and I made you fall in love with me. And after that I tempted you—even as you tempted Peter. Do you remember that first night, Jack Dernan? It was a bit of a job, but I did it. You were frightened at first—frightened of drugs. Even as my Peter was frightened of drink. Then you saw me use the syringe on my own arm, and that persuaded you. But there was just plain water in mine, you fool, whereas yours had the drug in it. And so it has been all the time: I've been injecting myself with water, and you with the drug. And I've acted—God! how I've acted. You've seen me, as you thought, run down, panting for it. Acting, you devil, acting."

A Drug Maniac

She paused, and the man still stared at her speechless.

"It's over now. Joe Tredgett has come back from Rhodesia and he would suspect. Tonight is the last night I shall ever see you; tonight finished my stock. But when the craving is on you, Jack Dernan, and every fibre of your body is shrieking for the drug it wants, think of the man you killed as surely as if you'd shot him. I've turned you into a drug maniac, and that is my revenge. Go, you brute, go."

She stood there pointing to the window, and for a space there was silence. Then, with a strange, gasping cry, Jack Dernan turned, and, blundering through the mosquito netting as if it wasn't there, disappeared into the darkness.

Two months later Mrs. Peter Skeffington sold her land and returned to England. And I don't know if she ever saw a paragraph in The Johannesburg Star. It ran as follows:

"A dreadful tragedy took place last night in the Germiston District, resulting in the death of four men. Two of them were well known as being engaged in the traffic of cocaine and other drugs. The third was a native, and the fourth has been identified as a man called Jack Dernan. It is thought some quarrel arose over the disposal of the stuff, and revolvers were drawn. Three of the chambers of Dernan's revolver had been discharged."

At any rate, that is the story of Mrs. Peter Skeffington. It is not a pleasant one; but it happens to be true.

How "R. B." Gave $12,500 and a Surprise

How much money would you have to have before you would give $12,500 to a church campaign fund?

At any rate, you would have to hand out that amount to equal Hon. R. B. Bennett, K.C., former Minister of Justice in the Meighen Cabinet.

Many a man can testify to the humor and good nature of the famous lawyer and politician of the West, but it takes the evidence of a certain minister of the gospel in Edmonton to bear witness to this colossal generosity towards a good cause.

A certain drive was being made by the Presbyterian Church. The minister had determined to call on Mr. Bennett for a contribution. He waited for a long time in the lawyer's office.

Mr. Bennett could speak to him only for a second. "What can I do for you?" he asked, as he shot his head out of his office. The minister tried to explain.

"Very sorry I can't see you now," was the reply. "Come and see me at the hotel at six o'clock this evening."

The minister was on time, but Mr. Bennett did not appear. When he did come it was almost two hours after the time he had set for the appointment.

"You still waiting?" said Mr. Bennett, apologetically.

"The need is very great," the clergyman explained.

Mr. Bennett did not listen long. He pulled a slip of paper rather carelessly out of his pocket, endorsed it, and handed it over to the preacher.

It was only afterwards that the clergyman got the surprise of his life. Finally, he pulled out the slip from his pocket to glance at the amount.

It was a dividend slip of a well-known manufacturing company, and the sum was—$12,500.

Writer's Cramp Afflicted Circus Agent

The Mormons of Alberta, like the French-Canadians of Quebec, are staunch believers in large families. The fact has been indelibly imprinted on the mind of at least one stranger. He was the advance agent of a circus, and after the town council of Raymead, a Mormon town, had made him certain concessions as to a site for the "big top" the showman pulled out a sheaf of passes and proceeded to indicate in a tangible way his thanks.

"How many in your family, Mr. H——?" asked the circus agent of one of the councillors.

"Ten."

That was O.K.

"And you, Mr. B——?"

"Thirteen."

Symptoms of writer's cramp.

"And you, Mr. Mayor?"

"Seventeen," grinned the genial mayor, George Court.

It is said the other members of the council paid their way into the show.

The vicar had received a couple of tickets for the opera from one of his parishioners.

Finding that he unable to go he rang up some friends and said: "An unfortunate dinner engagement keeps me from attending the opera tonight; could you use the tickets?"

"We should be glad to do so," was the reply; "but we are your unfortunate hosts."

A Page For CHILDREN

The Island Province and Confederation

BEFORE we leave Eastern Canada we must pay a tribute to the smallest of Canada's children and to some of those who helped in the work of bringing her into the family.

It is not easy for the young people of Vancouver Island, with its rocks and forests, its fertile valleys and the snow-capped peaks which almost everywhere bound the view, to picture that sister island on the other side of the continent as she lies cradled in the bosom of the Gulf of St. Lawrence.

Once landed on the shores of Prince Edward Island in Summer time, you are surrounded by cultivated fields with here and there an orchard. Greenness and growth are all around, and the air is filled with fragrance. Almost everywhere you may look out on the sea, and often bay or inlet borders the fields. The freshly turned soil and the banks by the shore are bright red. Groves of trees remain, and sometimes the spreading branches of the beech or maple shade the road, or you catch the gleam of the white birch, with its delicate foliage.

Happy Homes

At regular intervals are the comfortable homes of the farmers. The gentle slopes made drainage easy, and the frequent showers water and fertilize the fields. An industrious people turned every advantage to good account and overcame many hindrances. The fish in the sea added variety to the table, and give employment to many hands.

From almost every homestead little groups of children came in the morning to the district school. Comfortable clad though not seldom barefooted, they hurried on to spend the day in learning the lessons that fitted not a few of them for positions of trust or influence in widely separated parts of Canada, the United States or even more distant countries.

The Charlottetown Conference

When the Canadian delegates landed in Charlottetown it was harvest time. Farmers, their sons, and some of their daughters were busy gathering in the crops that had grown and ripened so rapidly in the long days of Summer sun and showers. In the Province Building, old even sixty-three years ago, Hon. John A. MacDonald, Hon. George Brown, Hon. D'Arcy McGee, Hon. George Etienne Cartier, to mention only the leaders of the Canadian delegation, were welcomed by the delegates from the Maritime Provinces. Hon. Charles Tupper headed the Nova Scotia and Hon. Leonard Tilley the New Brunswick delegates.

The hosts were, of course, the representatives of Prince Edward Island, Hon. Col. Gray, Edward Palmer, W. H. Pope, leaders of the Government of the day. With them were the Hons. George Coles and A. A. MacDonald. At Quebec Hons. Edward Whelan and T. Heath Haviland were added to those who advocated the claims of the little island to just and liberal treatment in Charlottetown.

A Backward Glance

Small as the island is, there was not one of the great grievances which troubled other colonies which she had not struggled against, and she had one wrong that none of them were called upon to bear. Let us look for a moment at our picture of the Fathers of Confederation. In the little group at the left you see Hon. Edward Whelan seated at a table. Next him is the Premier, Hon. Colonel Grey. The figure on the other side of the Premier is Hon. George Coles, and behind him is the Hon. Edward Palmer. For more than twenty years Coles and Whelan labored together. From the office of Joseph Howe, in Halifax, Edward Whelan came as an Irish lad of nineteen. He had much of his chief's eloquence and wit. He soon took a foremost place as an editorial writer. At that time, 1848, the farmers, under the leadership of one of their number, George Coles, were struggling for Responsible Government against successive governors sent out from England who thought that they and their friends were far more capable of managing the affairs of the colony than the ignorant islanders.

Mr. Coles was an honest, independent man with much native talent, but lacking education, except what he had been able to give himself. Edward Whelan was a valuable ally, and by 1851 the party they led had by force of argument won for the people of the island the right to rule according to the will of the majority.

Among many reforms which followed, the most important was the Education Act, which placed within the reach of all a good common school education and gave to a smaller number the opportunity of entering upon a college course.

There was one reform which all the efforts of the islanders had not been able to bring about. The land of the colony had been granted to landlords. Most of these people had not complied with the terms of the grant, and few of them had come to live on their estates. The farmers were forced to pay rent and could not get a title to the lands their fathers had cleared. The Land Question was unsettled when Confederation was mooted.

Other Fathers

As the delegates passed from city to city in the Lower Provinces and in Canada the gallant old soldier, Colonel Grey, lost no opportunity of expressing his loyalty to the Queen, the duty of self-defence and the value of a brave and well-disciplined militia.

Hon. Edward Palmer, an influential lawyer, also reached a ripe old age in his island home many years after it became a Province of Canada.

One of the ablest of the Island delegates to the Conferences at Quebec and Charlottetown was W. H. Pope, who as newspaper editor as well as a member of the Legislature, worked untiringly to bring about the union.

The Conference at Quebec, as at Charlottetown, were secret, but the attitude of Thomas Heath Haviland, a prominent lawyer, was shown by a speech made at a dinner, in which he said.

"Never was there such an important meeting held before in the history of British North America; and it may be said that here in little Prince Edward Island was that union formed which has produced one of the greatest nations on the face of God's earth."

Years of Waiting

The report of the Quebec delegates did not satisfy the majority of the people of the independent little colony. Their debt was small and their tariff low. They had little to sell that Canada needed.

A petition was sent to Her Majesty, and though in the British North America Act the door was left open, the first Dominion Day was celebrated with Prince Edward Island outside. The Government which succeeded that which had rejected Confederation was led by James C. Pope, an able business man.

What Mr. Coles had spoken of as a wedding settlement was approved, and in 1873 the Union of Prince Edward Island completed the Dominion of Canada.

New Adventures of Old Friends

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BIDDY AND PIGGY SHOULD HAVE ARBITRATED

Border Highway

THE following interesting article from The Children's Newspaper shows that the motor car and the radio are helping in the civilization of East Africa. Your new maps should enable you to trace the road.

A road as a frontier is a new idea, but it certainly seems also a sensible idea, when a frontier has to be marked out through trackless desert and jungle, to take the opportunity to make a road there, too.

British Mandate

That is what has been done with the new boundary between British Kenya and Italian Somaliland. Our readers know that when Britan was given the mandate for a number of German colonies Italy was given a promise that her Somaliland boundary should be taken a big slice farther west, giving her the greater part of what is called Jubaland from the coast back to the Abyssinian border.

And now the frontier has been marked out, and a great motor-road twelve feet wide and four hundred miles long has been laid down at the same time. It has been an arduous and difficult task, and has been carried through by a commission of seven Britons and three Italians. The line had to be found and the road cut through almost waterless desert and dense forest, broken by deep gorges and torrents and patrolled by wild beasts and bodies of Somali tribesmen almost as wild.

Listening-In in the Desert

Cross-cut saws, axes and the heavy knife known locally as a panga were the chief instruments with which the pioneers cut their way, but more complicated instruments were required to give them the direction the path must take. Their camel train carried theodolites, chronometers and a wireless set. And, of course, there were the stars above them.

The wireless set gave them the time from Paris, second by second as they heard the ticking of a Paris clock. By this they checked the chronometers, and by observations of the stars they were able to find their position in the bush without a horizon and in the desert without a landmark. When work was over for the day the commissioners listened-in to the broadcast programmes.

Now, after two years of labor, the boundary and the motor-road are complete, and the double event has been signalized by a motor trip over the whole length of the new highway.

Authors on a Holiday

Most boys, it is hoped, have read that fine story "Tom Brown's Schooldays." Another tale your grandfathers liked was "Westward Ho!" The author of "Tom Brown" was Thomas Hughes, and it is generally believed that the story and its sequel "Tom Brown at Oxford" told a great deal about the life and character of Hughes himself in his youth.

"Westward Ho" and a number of other tales of the South of England, in past times, were written by the Rev. Charles Kingsley, a clergyman whose heart was young.

The two authors were great friends. They believed the adage that all work and no play makes Jack a dull boy. Quite often they laid down their pens, closed their books and went off for a holiday among the mountains of Wales. It is said that once when Kingsley was tired of preaching and writing, he went up to London to invite Hughes to come off for a holiday. Not finding him in he left an invitation in rhyme on his desk. The following lines show the spirit of the two great men:

Come away with me, Tom,
Term and talk are done;
Ly poor lads are reaping,
Busy every one.
Curates mind the parish,
Sweepers mind the court,
We'll away to Snowdon
For our ten days' sport.
Though we earn our bread, Tom,
By the dirty pen,
What we can we will be,
Honest Englishmen.
Do the work that's nearest,
Though it's dull at whiles,
Helping, when we meet them,
Lame dogs over stiles;
See in every hedgerow
Marks of angels' feet,
Epics in each pebble
Underneath our feet;
Once a year; like schoolboys,
Robin-Hooding go,
Leaving fops and fogies
A thousand feet below.

Too much paternal solicitude robs a child of a normal opportunity to achieve independence and self-reliance, in the opinion of Dr. F. H. Allen, of the Philadelphia Child Guidance Clinic. He believes constant coddling constitutes a more serious menace to a child's health than harsh and tyrannical treatment.

The Old Fiddler

The sun was shining and the sky was very blue, but the wind was cold, and poor old Giuseppe pulled his coat round him and shivered.

Although he had lived a long time in England he still longed for the warm, sunny Italy that was his native land; and when London was in the middle of one of its wet, foggy moods he would shut his eyes and see the sun slanting across an orange grove, and he would be happy again. But he had no friends left in Italy and no work to do, so, taking his fine old fiddle, his only relic of prosperous days, he had come to London to find fame and fortune.

In the Summer he was happy enough, though he knew no one who would pay for his talent, and so the fortune he made was only just enough to keep a roof over his head and supply him with the scantiest food. But he made some very good friends, and they were more to him by far than wealth.

For as soon as the first sweet notes of the fiddle were heard the children would pop out of their poor little homes, or open the windows and call out a welcome to him. Then, as he grew to know them better, they would bring out their toys to show him and share their sweets with him. And their mothers, seeing the poor old man, would invite him in to tea, and he would tell them wonderful tales of his native land.

Now, it happened one day that while he was playing a fine motor car came along. After it had passed a little way it drew up, and a man put his head out of the window and called Giuseppe to him.

"What are you doing here," he said, "playing that music in the gutter? Why, man, you could fill the best halls in London! Come with me and I will make your fortune."

He opened the door and beckoned Giuseppe, who, with the dream of his earlier days before him, stepped in.

So the poor old Italian became a famous man; and very wonderful he looked, with his long silver beard flowing over his violin, and his thin brown face, and his bright eyes looking anxiously round the vast audiences for a face he knew. For although he was touched by their enthusiasm, he was very lonely.

The little children away in the mean streets cried when day after day passed and their dear Giuseppe did not come. Their mothers shook their heads as they chatted together. "He has died of the cold or been starved to death," they said.

Still Giuseppe filled the great halls, for people never tired of hearing him play. But one night as he played a greater loneliness than ever came over him, and in the middle of the applause he heard the voice of his little friends entreating him to return to them. The next day he sought out his rich friend, and told him he had decided to give up concert playing and return to the people who loved him.

"You are mad! You are mad!" cried his friend.

But Guiseppe only smiled. Fortune seemed nothing to him now that he had achieved his great purpose, the acknowledgment of his talent.

The next day there were shouts of amazement and joy in the little street as the sound of Guiseppe's fiddle was heard.

The children cried to each other that Giuseppe had come back to them, and they hung round him lovingly.

"Oh, where have you been?" they cried.

Giuseppe laughed, but he would not tell them; but he had brought toys for each of them, and he had presents for their mothers.

"We thought you were dead!" cried one, as she bade him come in.

"I think perhaps I have been dead for a while," said the old man as he took tea with them, and his mind wandered to the scenes of his triumph, where fame was but no love, and it seemed to him there was no real life where there was no love.

And as Giuseppe walked back to his home he was a rich man indeed.—My Magazine.

Prizes Offered for Best Essays on Confederation

The boys and girls of Victoria have had all sorts of information, in lectures and talks in school, about Confederation, to say nothing of articles in the newspapers. Now, who can write the best short story on the subject? The Colonist offers any boy or girl under fifteen a prize for the best article of not less than 500 or more than 1,000 words. There will be three prizes: $10 for the first, $5 for the second, and $3 for the third best essay. The essays must be in by the 24th of June. Write on one side of the paper, with black ink. Address: Editor, Children's Page, Colonist.

Gather Up the Papers

Few things are more unsightly than soiled and torn papers. It is surprising that children and many of their elders, whose own homes are models of neatness, will leave lunch and other papers on the schoolgrounds, on the streets or in the parks. While people are so careless it is useless to talk about the beauty of our city. Even the gayest of flower borders will be marred by half a dozen little papers thrown down when the sweets they held have been eaten. The wind is no respecter of beauty, and the finest hedge may catch the litter dropped blocks away.

If every boy and girl made up their minds to gather up and put away not only their own used papers, but those of careless people of all ages there would be a great improvement in the appearance of many parts of Victoria. No one would be the worse for the effort.

A Little Child's Hymn

Thou that once, on mother's knee,
Wert a little one like me,
When I wake or go to bed,
Lay Thy hands about my head;
Let we feel Thee very near,
Jesus Christ, our Saviour dear.

Be beside me in the light,
Close by me through all the night;
Make me gentle, kind and true,
Do what mother bids me do;
Help and cheer me when I fret,
And forgive when I forget.

Once wert Thou in cradle laid,
Baby bright in manger-shade,
With the oxen and the cows,
And the lambs outside the house.
Now Thou art above the sky;
Canst Thou hear a baby cry?

Thou art nearer when we pray,
Since Thou art so far away;
Thou my little hymn will hear,
Jesus Christ, our Saviour dear,
Thou that once on mother's knee,
Wast a little one like me.

—Frances Turner Palgrave.

Playful Animals

Some one has asked "Do Animals Play?" Any little boy who owns a puppy, any small girl who has a kitten will tell you "Of course they do!" No happy child has more fun than these pets.

The lambs in the field, the calves in the pasture frolic beside their sober mothers.

Has any boy as great delight in a game as the foal that gallops through the scented clover?

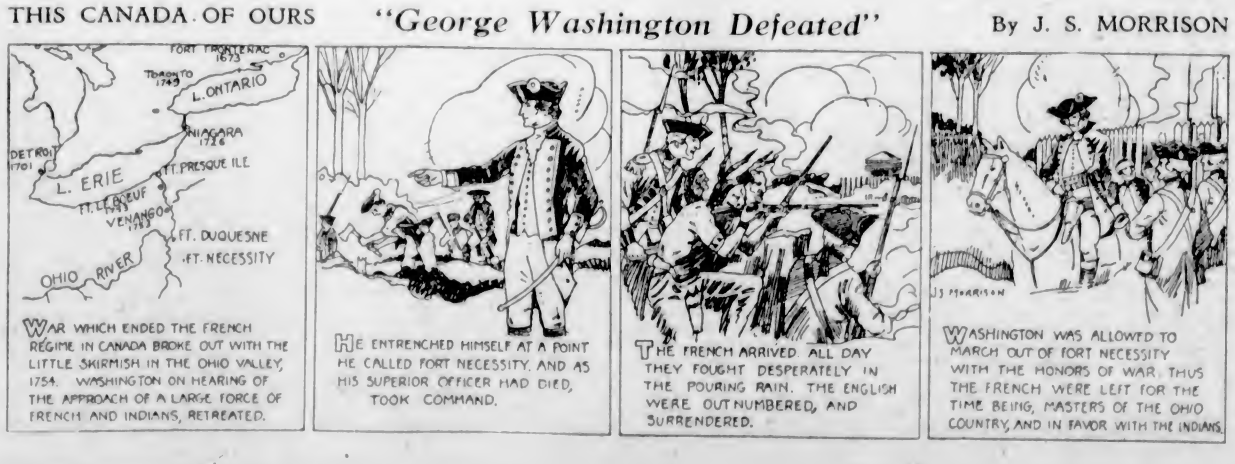
That many wild animals as well as birds share this love for fun naturalists have discovered. One of these, writing in My Magazine for June, says:

Of course, animals, like people, differ a great deal in their power to be interested and to amuse themselves. A martin will play with a feather in the air, dropping it, flying around, and diving after it. Otters play games which rather suggest the merry account given by Charles Dickens of Mr. Pickwick sliding on the ice at Christmas. The parent otters will make a greasy slide down a steep bank into the river, and one after the other, father, mother, and babies, will slither down it into the water, swim as fast as their feet will propel them to the bank, and keep up their merry sliding circle for half an hour or so till they are all tired out. Perhaps in this way the young otters learned to be quick and active, to turn and dive and swim and pass from water to land and land to water as their nature is. But what is most apparent in the spectacle is the otter's hilarious delight in the fun.

Squirrels are born players of games, and not of one sort only, but many. The little brown squirrel most common in America plays a sort of hide-and-seek with you whenever you met him. He is very inquisitive and not at all shy, but, more than this, he enjoys the pastime, as we easily discover if we keep a squirrel. Squirrels which had lost their parents were found in a small wood and were brought up in an English household with great difficulty. The only way of inducing them to take food when they were first brought in was to put a little milk in the palm of the hand. They would consent to suck this up very slowly, and were in this way saved when all other efforts had failed. They then became friends of all the family, though preferring some members of it to others.

A great part of their time was spent in playing, but the game they most looked forward to was a race and a chase round the circle of the family's arms and shoulders. As soon as a circle was made by joining hands, either indoors or out, the squirrels would leap up on the nearest available shoulder and race round as fast as they could go in a sort of follow-my-leader game. Directly the circle was formed they knew what to do. There was seldom any hesitation, and beyond doubt they found life not less merry than the tobogganing otters on their mud slide or Mr. Pickwick on the ice.

THIS CANADA OF OURS — *"George Washington Defeated"* — By J. S. MORRISON



The Other Canada

by CHARLES VINING

Midnight lunch in a typical Klondike cabin on Hunker Creek, where Mr. Tyrrell had a claim in 1903.

Mr. J. B. Tyrrell, M.A., F.G.S., F.R.C.S.

Typical Eskimo faces—native Canadians from the Hudson Bay country.

How they panned gold in the Klondike from the gravel of the creek beds.

INSTEAD of thinking what a great big country this is, do you ever think how small it is? It is a good thing to think how small Canada is.

Maps have given us an inferiority complex. They make Canada look like a big, overgrown softie, with a great bulk, but not much hard muscle, bigger far than the fellow next door, but not nearly as quick or as smart. But when we think how small Canada is we see that we have done pretty well for a little fellow, and we needn't feel so awkward about smart Uncle Sam.

Measure off the Canada you know. It goes east to Halifax, of course, and west to Victoria, but how far north? How far north does your Canada go?

If you live in Ontario, Cobalt is pretty far north, Cochrane is almost the limit, and Moose Factory is at the North Pole. To Quebec any point ninety miles up from the St. Lawrence is the edge of civilization and even in the wide open spaces of the Prairies the top of Canada is somewhere around Peace River or The Pas.

We have no Mississippi to make us think from New Orleans to Chicago. Port Nelson and Churchill are vague names to us, from the unreality of Hudson Bay. Coronation Gulf, the Coppermine, Dubawnt, might be in middle Mongolia.

This is really Canada, a country about one-twentieth of the great pink smear that smacks at you from the map. All the rest is nothingness, vast and silent and mysterious. That is the main thing about seeing how small Canada is; you see then how big the rest is. It is called Canada, but Canadians do not live in it. It is a foreign land inhabited by foreigners. Most of us know more about Borneo.

A man like J. B. Tyrrell helps you look at Canada.

Mr. Tyrrell is a mining engineer. He is big and strong-looking and the vigor of him makes you disbelieve his seventy years, but there is nothing about him to hint the things he has done in his life unless perhaps you notice that the color of his cheeks seems to be weathered there. He might be a college professor instead of an astonishing adventurer.

How He Started

He was going to be a lawyer, when one of his lungs when wrong. The doctor ordered an outdoor life, the plan of law was put to one side, and young Tyrrell, feeling, no doubt, like a martyr, joined the geological survey of Canada. All this was nearly half a century ago.

He spent the next seventeen years exploring Canada. He was out in Alberta ahead of the railway, when Edmonton was a little fur-trading post and there was no Calgary at all. He found coal in Crow's Nest Pass. He made the first maps of great stretches of the Dominion. He picked lakes and rivers and waterfalls out of the unknown and gave them to us. Every year. He can go now to a map of Canada and stick his finger down somewhere and say casually:

"Ah, yes. There's a river of mine. In 1883."

Or: "That lake. I fancy I did that one. 1886."

One river that belongs to him in this way is the Dubawnt. You probably never heard of it, but it is a mighty river. To reach it, to travel it, to trace it to the end and draw it on the map took Mr. Tyrrell and his brother on a journey of three thousand two hundred miles by canoe and on foot, through incredible hardships and prolonged perils.

When he started out he thought the Dubawnt might carry him up to the Arctic Ocean, and he was quite ready to go along if the river so desired. Eventually, however, it brought him out into Hudson Bay, through a place called Chesterfield Inlet. We think of Churchill as the limit of everything, but to Mr. Tyrrell getting to Churchill was getting away down south again to a place of easy comforts. Once they got down to Churchill they were practically home, because, as Mr. Tyrrell remarked:

"From there, of course, we were able to walk in to Winnipeg."

Sure. Walk to Winnipeg. It is eight hundred miles from Churchill to Winnipeg.

The next seven years Mr. Tyrrell spent in the Klondike and added another chapter in the story of his Canada. He left the geological survey (what an academic name for a life of high adventure), and joined the Klondike of '98 and he saw it in all its phases.

Dick Low's Romance

He knew Dick Low, on "Fraction A," Bonanza.

It was George Cormac who discovered Bonanza Creek, with his two Indian brothers-in-law, Skookum Jim and Tagish Charlie. The three of them staked the first claims along Bonanza, but one of the Indian brothers stepped off more than the five hundred feet allowed by law and when the Government surveyors came through they sliced off a strip of eighty-nine feet. Dick Low was a laborer on the survey party and he thought he would take the eighty-nine feet for himself. All the rest of the party told him he was foolish because this would prevent him from taking another claim of full five hundred feet. But Low was stubborn. He took the eighty-nine feet, and it became "Fraction A." It also became famous, for it was the richest strike in all the Klondike. From the rough gravel of its creek bed Dick Low took something like three-quarters of a million dollars. With shovels.

Mr. Tyrell remembers visiting Dick Low. He took a shovel full of gravel and washed it out in a pan. The gold left in the bottom was worth two hundred dollars.

"Bah," said Low, "that's pretty poor, that is. Try it along here. It's better here, I think."

Mr. Tyrrell took a shovel full of gravel where Low pointed, and they washed it out and weighed the gold. Six hundred dollars' worth in that shovel. Low felt better about it. He piled up gravel then for a day and a half before he washed out the gold. It came to $80,000.

"How did it all end," Mr. Tyrrell?"

"Oh, the last time I saw Dick Low he borrowed a dollar from me. He was broke. He told me he was going to find another one like 'Fraction A,' but he never did. He died a few years after that."

Mr. Tyrrell came out of the Klondike in 1905 and proceeded to establish himself as a mining engineer in Eastern Canada. He has been one ever since, with a brief interlude of exploring in 1912 when he went 1,500 miles through Patricia to survey the Nelson and came back along the Severn for the Provincial Government. His work has been chiefly examining mining properties to advise regarding their purchase or development. In the process he has acquired wide honors and distinction as well as a substantial interest in the Kirkland Lake Gold Mine, of which he is now managing director.

He Has Another Canada

It is thirty-four years since Mr. Tyrrell, traveled the Dubawnt. No white man had seen that country before him; no white man has been there since. Yet people are living there; animals are thriving there; flowers and birds and grass and insects are there every Summer, and there is a Summer, warm and fruitful.

Mr. Tyrrell has a Canada we know nothing about. It starts where we leave off, and goes clear up into the Arctic Ocean. It spreads across from Labrador to Yukon. It is split by an inland arm of ocean, wider than the Mediterranean, big enough to swallow the Baltic and the Black Seas, and still accommodate the famous Adriatic comfortably. It is twenty times as big as our Canada It is not barren land; it is rich. It is not frozen; it has Summer. It is not desolate; it is a country, and one day its wealth will help the world to live.

Santa Claus has a good deal to do with our ideas of the North. When we are very young we start to think that the further North you go the colder it is until in Arctic Zone the snow is ten feet deep and it is a hundred below zero, maybe, and frozen solid all year round. We change such ideas very little as we grow older. The word Arctic sends shivers up our backs; any part of Canada around the Arctic is as useful as an iceberg.

Why the Map Is Queer

The map of Canada on this page looks queer to our eyes because we are not accustomed to thinking northwardly. Whenever a Canadian thinks about going anywhere he thinks in terms of South or East or West, never North. All that will change. Not only Canadians, but other peoples will learn to think of the earth as a place that is round from South to North as well as from East to West. We shall travel over the top of the earth as well as around its sides. We shall travel by air, and all this Arctic nothingness of Canada will be a highway of the world.

The Arctic Ocean on this map looks new to you because you have never looked at the Arctic as a complete ocean with both shores showing at once. You have always looked at it in separate halves. When it is put together like that it looks like the Mediterranean. It is like the Mediterranean, too, because it lies between two contients. Actually it joins three continents: North America, Europe and Asia. In the age of air travel which is approaching the Arctic Ocean will occupy the place the Mediterranean occupied in the sea travel of five centuries ago. It will be the short route between East and West. It is the long-sought passage to Cathay. From London to Tokio, from Europe to the Orient, will be a matter of hopping the Arctic in great flying ships, over a northern sea equipped with safety stations and supply depots, and bordered by Arctic lands no longer mysterious and terrible and remote, but ordinary lands of the earth, to which familiarity has brought not contempt, but appreciation of usefulness. Of these lands Canada will be one.

But can people live up there? The climate. What about the climate?

Let us ask Mr. Tyrrell and Mr. Vilhjalmur Stefansson, who have lived there?

Mr. Tyrrell will tell you that there is no obstacle to living in that country as far as climate is concerned. "My years in the Klondike were a great pleasure," he remembers, "and the Hudson Bay country is much the same. It is all much more pleasant than a district like Queen Charlotte Island or Prince Rupert, where the salmon fisheries are, with their excessive rain and fog."

Eskimos Are Lucky

Mr. Stefansson, if you listen to him or read what he has written, will give you figures to prove that Winter in Eskimo Canada is no colder than in this Canada and South of us. The lowest temperature ever recorded at Point Barrow, 250 miles inside the Arctic Circle, is fifty-five below. The lowest temperature experienced by Mr Stefansson on his Arctic expedition of 1913-1918, was forty-six below. These are low temperatures, but they are not as cold as many places of which you think without surprise, in which people are living and working and enjoying normal lives. There are places in Manitoba as cold. Montana has had a temperature of sixty-eight below without a panic. There is a place in Siberia, the coldest point in the world, where it goes to ninety-eight below, but white Europeans are living there in ordinary occupations and farming in the Summer.

Stefansson says that as a boy in North Dakota he went to school and to church and played with other children in temperatures more severe than he encountered on his Arctic travels, and he concludes: "If you happen to be living in Manitoba or Dakota or Montana and want to become a Polar explorer all you have to do for a proper outfit is leave at home a few of your clothes."

Canadians in Winnipeg are just as pampered as Canadians in Toronto, but they are overcoming a harder climate than many Eskimos.

There is Summer in Eskimo Canada like Summer here. It is short, but it is hot. It is long enough to grow flowers in profusion, make mosquitoes a pest and cover thousands upon thousands of level square miles of prairie with grass. In these great grass plains cariboo graze in tremendous herds. In the Dubawnt country the herds which Mr. Tyrrell saw had to be estimated over square miles and by the hundred thousand.

There are two great sources of wealth up there. These grassy prairies are one. Rocks are the other. Stefansson looks at the prairies; Tyrrell looks at the rocks.

Prairies and Livestock

The prairies mean livestock and the livestock are reindeer. Stefansson and others see in Northern Canada the greatest meat-producing area of the world within the next fifty years. They see it so clearly that there has been organized the Hudson's Bay Reindeer Company, with head offices at Winnipeg, and a fifty-year lease from the Canadian Government of the southern half of Baffin Land, an area larger than England, Scotland and Wales, north of the Arctic Coast. Breeding stock has been and is being brought in from Norway, the first 550 head being landed in 1921.

Here again we meet a queer idea: Eating reindeer. It is queer because we do not do it. But other people are doing it, and have been doing it for years. Reindeer meat in Stockholm, Helsingfors and Christiana markets is a standard meat, selling at prices higher than mutton or beef. It is coming into America. In Alaska, Lomen Brothers are leading a million-dollar industry. It is estimated that within the next twelve years the reindeer output of Alaska will exceed one million carcasses a year, with a sale value in Chicago of some $60,000,000. Stefansson estimates that Canada's reindeer production eventually will be thirteen million carcasses a year, greater than Canada's present production of all forms of domestic meats. He thinks this total will not be reached in fifty years, but it will come. In the meantime the stock of the Hudson's Bay Reindeer Company is not for sale. Trading in the stock is prohibited by its charter.

In the rocks of the North Mr. J. B. Tyrrell sees a mineral treasure house. Great sections of the Hudson Bay country, he says, are the same pre-Cambrian rock formation as one finds in the Porcupine and Kirkland Lake gold camps. There is no doubt in his mind that rich discoveries will be made all through this vague Northern Canada. He has seen evidences of gold along the western shores of Hudson Bay. The Hudson's Bay Company have been told about it, but they have furs to think about and are not interested in gold.

New Vistas of Research In Medical Science Open

LONDON—(By Mail.)—The annual report for 1925-26 of the Medical Research Council carries the study of a number of the problems of disease a stage further. Special interest attaches to the work which is now proceeding on the remarkable substance known as chloresterol. Chloresterol is a solid alcohol which, until recently, was not regarded as possessing much importance so far as human health is concerned. It is, however, a constituent of almost all living tissue, and, as is now recognized, it has the strange power of forming, when exposed to sunlight, one of the most important of the "vitamins"—that which is found naturally in cod liver oil. Chloresterol is thus compared to a photographic plate. It is light-sensitive and light-storing. It represents, in a sense, the link between life and that sunlight to which life owes its quickening and its fulfillment.

No less interesting is another chemleal substance, histamine, which, even in the most minute quantities, is capable of causing strong effects on the human body. Histamine, or something resembling it, is evidently used normally in the body. When severe injuries are sustained, large quantities of this substance seem to be thrown into the blood stream. What is called "shock" is the consequence. The new study of shock, which has followed the study of histamine, has led already to a new study of the activity of the liver as a regulator of blood pressure and to the function of the lungs as a source of histamine in the organism.

Great interest attaches to the further work of Mrs. Mellanby on the formation of the teeth and on the influence of diet in this formation. Mrs. Mellanby has studied the so-called Vitamin D, the vitamin of cod liver oil and of the animal fats, the vitamin, also, which is produced by the action of sunlight and ultra-violet rays on the chloresterol of the human body and of vegetables. She has reached the conclusion that, in the absence of a sufficiency of this vitamin, the teeth are not correctly formed, however sound they may look; she has been able, too, to show that dental disease attacks badly-formed teeth much more rapidly than teeth which have been properly formed. The conclusion would seem to be that "the teeth of a nation may give a sensitive index of the degree to which the constitution of the diet in detail is adapted to the complex needs of the population under the governing conditions and customs of urban and rural life."

FILTER-PASSING VIRUSES

Special attention is devoted to the so-called filter-passing viruses. In this exceedingly difficult field some progress has been recorded, notably in connection with distemper in dogs and ferrets.

It has been found possible, the report stated, to immunize ferrets satisfactorily from distemper by the inoculation of formalin-treated virus. The resistance produced in dogs by similar inoculations was not so great, but there was good reason to hope that by means of a primary inoculation of dead virus followed by a mild distemper infection while the animal was refractory to the disease, a useful method for protecting dogs would be obtained. As to the justification of this intensive study of a disease which is a disease of animals, the report added:

"If further justification is to be sought it lies in the obvious analogies that can be drawn between distemper in dogs and disorders like influenza in man. The right weapons for attack upon influenza are, perhaps, only to be forged in the easier experimental study of the animal maladies nearest akin to it."

Referring to the difficulties which have to be faced regarding diseases caused by filter-passing viruses, it is stated: "In some diseases in this group, for instance, encephalitis lethargica ("sleeping sickness") and Poliomyelitis (the cause of infantile paralysis), of which the public is becoming increasingly aware through the many poignant tragedies they cause, almost no progress seems to have been made, in spite of the most arduous efforts of many able men. Exhaustive observational study of an epidemic of encephalitis has failed to discover any clues by which the movements of the disease among the population can be followed or controlled. The virus cannot yet be cultivated outside the body, or seen, and only indirect methods of study are available. The only certain hope for the future lies in the steady support of scientific work in this field. Any ingenuity which gives some new experimental methods or any gain in accurate knowledge made at any one point is likely to aid progress along the whole line. In this matter, we are standing almost where our grandfathers stood in relation to the visible bacteria before the science of bacteriology, as we know it, had been founded."

MAKING CERTAIN

They were seated in a first class carriage, and from the attention the young man paid the girl beside him it was not over difficult to realize that they were on their honeymoon.

"Is my darling comfy?" he asked.

"Yes, dearest," she replied.

"Sure there aren't an nasty sparks from the engine going in those blue eyes?"

"Quite sure, darling."

"Then," said the other, grabbing up his hat and gloves, "come out of it and let me sit there."

AN ALTERNATIVE

Stump orator, discoursing on the faults of wives: "Can you tell me anything that will drive a man more to drink than a lazy, slovenly woman?"

A voice from the audience: "Did ye ever try a salt herrin', sir?"

Motors & Motoring

Nice Adjustment Needed In Small Space Parking

To Anchor Car on Busy Street in Opening Only Few Inches Greater Than Auto's Length Requires Consummate Skill Acquired by Practice

To talk about parking an automobile in almost any large city seems a bit absurd when one contemplates how difficult it often is to find any space where a car can be left. Yet this very situation makes it all the more necessary for a motorist to become somewhat skilled in this parking business. When one finds a space only a few inches longer than the length of one's auto it takes a competent parker to effect the desired accomplishment.

There are motorists who can recall the time when one could merely drive alongside of a curb and stop where one pleased. Even that simple stunt required some skill. Compared with the present situation, however, that is child's play.

To know the local rules regarding parking—where one can park, when and for how long—are matters which have come to represent essential information. The first thing for a driver to do is to learn these details. He is then ready to practice parking. Having succeeded in this achievement, the next problem, quite as difficult, is how to get out into the traffic again when one desires to move on.

PARKING SPACES

Fortunately, in some cities certain places are reserved where an automobile driver can leave his machine. It is fairly easy to park a car in one of these sections. The cars left in these spaces usually stand in the middle of the street, facing the curb. To park in such a place the driver may have to stop and back into his proper alley, being sure no cars are approaching from the rear that might smash into his. It is better if he can drive directly ahead into his space. In the latter instance he may be required to back up when he comes to take his machine away, but not necessarily.

In such a place the driver should try to park his car fairly near to the next auto, being sure to accomplish this without scraping the sides of cars on either side. Sometimes it will be necessary to squeeze in between two standing cars where the margin of space will be very limited. Here is where the good parker has a chance to demonstrate his skill.

WATCH CAR AHEAD

When planning to park a car alongside of a curb it is essential not to get too close to the machine ahead when stopping or when starting up again. Leave a couple of feet if possible. The car ahead will be less liable to back into it when pulling out. Any number of fenders have been dented in such operations. If a driver parks right up against the car ahead and another car parks close to the rear of his machine, he will find himself in somewhat of a fix when he comes to getting his car out. There will be no space left for either backing or going ahead.

After dark a parked car should have its parking lights turned on if it is on a road where there is liable to be any motor traffic. If the car is parked before sundown and left until after dark, it is unusually easy to forget this. If the standing machine's lights do not show a white light ahead and a red one behind, it may not be visible to an approaching automobile until too late to avoid a smash. This applies especially to those who have to park their cars in places along a country highway where there are no street lights to help make the machine visible.

CLOSE TO CURB

In the city park your car close to the curb. It is dangerous to stop a car in the middle of the road. Then remember regulations usually prohibit parking a car within ten feet of a fire hydrant. In some cities it is not permitted to park a car in front of a public building. A car should not be parked near the intersection of two streets or highways.

Be sure never to park an automobile on the left side of a street except on a one-way traffic street. The right side should be next to the curb and never the rear or front end except in parking spaces where the regulations require cars to park at right angles or diagonally to the road.

To discourage theft, any contents of a car that might easily be stolen should be removed when a car is parked, even if the car is to be left but for a few minutes. It takes very little time for a crook to get away with any valuables that may be left in an open car. If the car is a closed model the doors usually have reliable locks on them, and these should be used.

Besides this, the car itself should be locked and the key removed by the driver, as thieves not only rob the automobiles of their contents but also have been known to steal the auto itself. A safe lock should be a part of every car's equipment if it is to be parked often.

With increasingly congested conditions it is important for motorists to be first-class parkers.

The Very Latest in Metropolitan Taxis

Two-Seater Motor Car, the Latest Thing in Wheels, Which Attracted Much Attention on the Strand in London.

Propose Survey for Kootenay Lake Road

Hon. Dr. Sutherland, Minister of Public Works, told directors of the Automobile Club of British Columbia, at a recent conference, that to eliminate the present fifty-mile ferry trip on the transprovincial highway from Crawford Bay to Kuskanook would require $250,000 for road building and $60,000 for a new ferry to cross the top end of Kootenay Lake. A survey had been made, and the proposed road was part of the Department's programme, the Minister said. The club is urging a two-a-day service by the present ferry.

Back-Seat Drivers

In hopes of solving the back-seat driving problem, an automobile manufacturer in England has designed a car with the rear seat backed up against the front one. Passengers in the rear seat are spared the distractions of driving which spoil motoring for some people. Windows are cut in the rear to give a view of the fleeting landscape.

KEEP RIMS CLEAN

A large proportion of "blowouts" of tires are due to rim cuts, and these are caused by not keeping rims free from rust and grit.

CHRYSLER MAKES NEW HIGH PEAK

Delivery Record of Corporation Broken by Spring Rush of Motor Orders

All delivery records of the Chrysler Corporation for all time have been broken as a result of the Spring flood of new orders that have poured in upon the company's distributors and dealers in all parts of the country, according to statements by Chrysler officials.

That the public demand for Chrysler cars is spread out over the entire range of the four models included in the company's production is shown by recent analysis of business made by Chrysler statisticians.

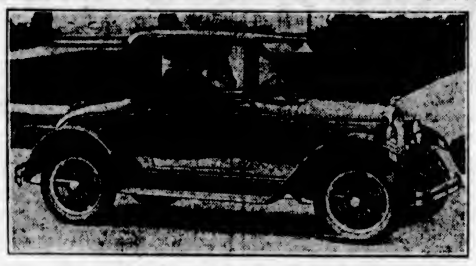
Chrysler officials express particular satisfaction over the even distribution of new orders throughout the country. Even in districts where local reasons left doubt whether automobile sales would keep up orders are coming in volume at least equal to that of last year, while everywhere else the inrush of business is overwhelming all past records.

Overseas as well as domestic buying has been playing its part in Chrysler activity.

Uniform Height For Auto Bumpers Is Recommended

Unless bumpers on motor vehicles are approximately the same height above the road surface, they will not serve their full purpose, because the bumper of one car may strike above or below that of another car. For this reason a recommendation has been made that protective bumpers on passenger cars, small motor coaches and light delivery trucks shall be mounted so that the center line of the bumper face will be eighteen inches above ground for the front bumper and nineteen inches above ground for the rear bumper, with an allowable variation in each case of three-eighths of an inch up or down for each inch width of bumper face. The recommendation also provides that passenger car bumpers shall be sixty inches in length and have a width of face or vertical depth of at least two inches and that the height above ground shall be measured with the normal quantities of water, fuel and oil but without passengers or other load in the vehicle.

"Built-In" 4-Wheel Brakes Insure Safety



OVERLAND WHIPPET FOUR-CYLINDER COUPE

The Overland Whippet Coupe is a personal car of remarkable capabilities. Fast, smooth-driving, extremely economical in operation—it is an ideal two-passenger enclosed car for travelers, professional men or people of small families. Its "built-in" four-wheel brakes insure safety to its passengers at all speeds.

AUTOS REPLACE WAR LORDS' PALANQUINS

Star Motors Cut Large Figure in "Unpleasantness" Featured in China

In the struggle of the different factions in China for control of the most populous country in the world, automobiles are playing a leading role.

Where, in former days, war lords were transported in palanquins, in rude conveyances or rode the small Chinese pony, today they are using automobiles. Along with the adoption of Occidental methods of warfare, in which machine guns, airplanes and world war strategy are employed, the Oriental commanders have found that the Western automobile gives them the transportation they so badly need.

It enables them to reach the front, wherever it is, in much less time than when they depended on being carried either by men or on a horse.

Chinese roads, particularly those away from the larger cities, are very poor. Because of the heavy traffic near the cities, some effort has been made to keep up the highways adjoining them, but the roads mostly are nearly impassable, especially in the wet weather.

For that reason the light, small cars of high power are the most popular with the Chinese commanders, according to a report received by representatives of the Star Motor Company.

MANY STAR CARS USED

Many Star cars are in use by the Cantonese forces, the report said. While the troops are transported by rail or slow-moving trucks, the leaders go ahead in their Star cars and establish headquarters, particularly where the civilians are friendly.

The Star car is ideal for the use to which it is put by the Chinese military chiefs. It is light but powerful and, where gasoline has to be carried and space is at a premium, its extreme economy both on gasoline and oil is an added factor which finds favor with the army commanders.

Loose lining in a water hose, restricting free passage of water, will sometimes cause overheating of the engine.

Strainer and Cleaner

Every strainer and cleaner in the oil and vacuum system should be cleaned. This is very essential. Sometimes considerable sediment gathers in the vacuum tank. This is caused by dirt in the gasoline or pieces of rubber from the rubber hose at filling stations.

NEW ROADSTER IS OFFERED BY VELIE

Dinsmore Bros. Exhibit Standard Six of Latest New Body Type

The Velie Motors Corporation of Mobile, Ill., has added a new body type to its standard six line, to be known as the standard six roadster. First numbers of the new job are now being displayed at Velie dealer establishments throughout the country, according to Dinsmore Bros., local dealers.

Like the other standard six models, the new roadster has many features, such as Lockheed hydraulic four-wheel brakes, heat indicator on dash, 182¾ inches of spring equipment and radiator capacity of 4¾ gallons. Mounted on a 112-inch wheelbase, the car is powered by the Velie-built 3⅛ by 4¼-inch valve-in-head motor

The new standard six roadster is low hung and compact in appearance, yet has plenty of head and leg room. Riding comfort is assured for four people, the flooring deck concealing a rumble seat with ample room for two. Windshield is of one piece, adjustable type, held in place by strong nickel-finished upright arms. Cowl ventilator is operated from beneath the dash. Automatic windshield wiper, rear vision mirror and balloon cord tires are standard equipment. Other equipment includes front bumpers, rear bumperettes, stop light, spare tire, tube and cover and radiator emblem.

Upholstery of seat, seat back, rumble seat and door panels is of pebble-grained blue or green leather. There is a package compartment behind the seat back. Khaki-covered top folds back or can be removed entirely. A rich, distinctive interior appearance is provided by the beautiful walnut-finished instrument board containing an attractive and novel four-unit instrument panel indirectly lighted.

MONDAY'S MOTOR MESSAGE

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The reasons for this spectacular advance in popularity are obvious. Always a surpassing value, the New and Finer Pontiac Six now towers above its field like a beacon in the night.

Vivid new beauty enhances the fine craftsmanship of its new lower bodies by Fisher. Chassis refinements emphasize the thrilling performance of its famous six-cylinder motor. Fresh and original combinations of enduring Duco lend a marked note of style to its six smart body types. Yet even with all these improvements the New and Finer Pontiac Six sells for new low prices! Never has such surpassing value been offered in a low-priced quality six. Never has any car of its price kindled such wildfire buying enthusiasm! And never has any car in its class so clearly deserved such success!

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POPULAR WHIPPET ENJOYS BIG SALES

Famous Light Six-Cylinder Achieves Notable Record in Its Price Class

Sales and production figures since the Whippet Six was first introduced on the automobile market early in the year disclose that this new entry in the light six-cylinder field is achieving a notable record in its price class. Willys-Overland dealers throughout the country report to the factory that, despite the Whippet Six being a newcomer on the market, the speedy response it has met from the motor car buyers assures it a leading position during the year among the other cars in its price range.

The original Whippet Six car building schedule has been stepped up several times by the factory to meet the demands of dealers, and indications at this time are that 1927 will see the production and sale of this model exceeding the original quota set before production got underway.

The general performance of the Whippet Six as well as the advanced ideas of engineering embraced in its construction are cited by the various Willys-Overland dealers as the chief foundations for the success of this car. In type of design the Whippet Six carries out the low centre of gravity construction, a design characteristic of all the Willys-Overland products.

Trials have shown the Whippet Six, not only as a speedy and powerful car but one that can be operated economically. Its unusual getaway, fast pickup and ability to maintain a high rate of speed mile after mile without any ill effects is equal to the performance of many higher priced sixes. Drivers also declare that for a six-cylindered car the new Whippet uses a surprisingly small amount of fuel and an oil consumption which is almost negligible.

The Whippet Six bodies are low swung, the lines being long and graceful. This type of construction gives the car remarkbale road stability, with a high degree of safety added by the four-wheel brakes.

Latin-American League Of Nations Is Planned

BUENOS AIRES, May 26.—Delegates from Honduras, Guatemala, Peru, Urguay and Argentina have founded an organization known as the "Continental Alliance." The object of the alliance is to promote the constitution of an American League of Nations, in a spirit of Continental nationalism contrary to both Pan-Americanism and the League of Nations at Geneva. The principal aim, it is announced, will be to fight for republics now "under North-American protectorate to regain their full sovereignty in order that a league may be formed by independent Latin-American nations.

"Butchered to Make a Roman Holiday"

Wreckage of Stutz No. 2 Car After It Crashed Into a Star Car in the Stock Car Race on the Speedway at Amatol, N.J. Keen, the Driver of the Stutz, Suffered a Fracture of the Shoulder, and His Mechanic Was Slightly Injured. Three Other Cars in the Seventy-Five-Mile Event May Be Seen Speeding on the Board Track.

PRODUCTION OF AUTOS SHRINKS

Trend Downward Despite Extension of Manufacturing Facilities in United States

In 1924 the output capacity of the plants of the motor car industry of this continent was 5,600,000 motor vehicles, and production was 3,640,000. The following year the plant output capacity remained the same and production increased to 4,536,000. In 1926 the output capacity through plant enlargements and other changes was increased to 6,700,000 and production was record-breaking, 4,464,500 motor vehicles. Again plant production capacities have been increased until they are 7,300,000 motor vehicles for the current year. Now the predicted output—based on anticipated market demand—for the current year is little if any in excess of 4,000,000 motor vehicles. And so the battle of the giants is under way with the advantage of unexampled values to the purchasing public.

The forecast decrease in output is attributed to the fact that time selling in the United States has been overdone in some instances, as indicated by an unwholesome increase in the number of repossessions—and consequent losses taken—during the past year. This pathogenic condition of affairs, fortunately, is unknown in Canada, as here time sales have been relatively much fewer and on a more conservative basis than in the United States.

There are two or three well-defined trends in the production policies of motor car manufacturers that are noteworthy. The genesis of these antedates the current season, but they are now being elaborated to a marked degree. First of these—the sequence is regardless of relative importance—is the broadening-out policy. A large and increasing number of car manufacturers, to be potently augmented in the near future, are providing their dealer organizations with much more comprehensive market coverage. Several companies that for years have concentrated their output in a single chassis model (in some cases with two wheelbase lengths) are now or in the near future will produce entirely different supplementary chassis models. Single chassis makes, once fairly numerous, will soon be a rarity indeed. A large number of makers are producing three and four chassis models now, thus providing their dealers with approximately "full market coverage"—more or less. A year ago, indeed short months ago, one chassis model of one make, a very popular light six, was available with just one body, a coach. Today this chassis refined is offered with five body models. Another maker who for nearly two decades has concentrated on a single chassis model announced fifty different bodies as available a few months ago, and has just produced a supplementary chassis model. It is a matter of common knowledge that two other big producers of a single chassis are to supplement these soon, each by one or two additional chassis models of radically different type. The trend is decidedly towards wider market coverage. There have been no recent exceptions to this general rule.

LA SALLE CAR PACES INDIANAPOLIS RACE

New Companion to Cadillac Acts as Runner-Up at Speedway on Memorial Day

To the LaSalle, the new companion car to Cadillac, goes the honor of pacing this year's United States Memorial Day automobile race at the Indianapolis Speedway.

The Indianapolis race is the outstanding automobile race classic. From the standpoint of cars entered, attendance, and nation-wide interest aroused over it, it is the one big race event of the year. The honor of being chosen to provide a car to act as pacemaker and start the fleet of racing cars on their long grind is very eagerly sought for by automobile manufacturers, for in these day, the pacemaker at Indianapolis must have speed far above the average speedy car.

A ROADSTER

The LaSalle which will act as pacemaker this year is a roadster. It will be driven by "Big Boy" Rader. The Indianapolis Speedway is old familiar ground to Rader, for he himself is a famous racer of the early school. He has participated in many automobile events, won the big classic at Sheepshead Bay on one occasion, and some of his records for dirt track and straight-away speed still stand.

The roadster which Rader will drive is one of the two LaSalle roadsters which have been making phenomenal speed records at the General Motors Proving Ground, near Detroit. One of these roadsters, driven by Rader, has exceeded ninety-four miles per hour on the three and three-eighths miles concrete speed loop.

ATTAINS 105 MILES P.H.

In a stripped roadster Rader has attained the terrific speed of 105 miles per hour. This remarkable speed for a passenger automobile is all the more significant when it is remembered that the fastest average ever made by a winner of the Indianapolis race is 101.13 miles per hour.

Though the LaSalle was not especially designed for speed, the wonderful power and efficiency of the ninety-degree, V-type eight engine used in this car, plus an extremely low centre of gravity and scientific distribution of weight, has enabled it to break all stock car records at the General Motors Proving Ground.

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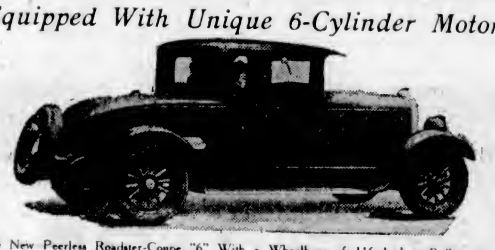

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Twenty-Seven Years Ago

With a new speed record of more than 200 miles an hour established for automobiles, a story of the first long-distance run for motorists as told in a newspaper of June 3, 1900, may be of interest: "Only five of the twenty automobiles that left New York on the first long-distance club run in this country, reached Philadelphia. The distance of 110 miles was covered in 11 hours and 52 minutes, establishing a new record for automobile travel."

Accidents in London

Increasing automobile accidents in London and country districts of England are causing a serious strain on hospitals. It is said that the expense of such accidents is $22,500 a year and upward. At some hospitals operations on hundreds of other patients are delayed by the motor accident victims.

Handling Rings

Motor car owners who decide to install new piston rings in their cars should remember that while the rings obviously are flexible they also are somewhat brittle and will break if handled roughly. The flexibility of the rings often gives an impression that they can be stretched much more than actually is the case. It is well to bear in mind that the limit of their flexibility is to be found in the spread necessary to get them over the top of the piston. Beyond this they are liable to break.

Cars in China

China, with an area of 4,300,000 square miles, larger than the United States, Mexico and Central America combined, has but 10,000 miles of roads fit for motor transportation. This is 390,000 fewer miles of highways than in the United States. There are only 20,000 motor vehicles in operation in China compared with upward of 20,000,000 in the United States.

NOT TOO STRENUOUS

"So you want a job on the railway, do you?" asked the man seated behind the big office desk.

"Yes, sir," answered the applicant, a rather frail-looking person.

"What kind of work?"

The other hesitated. He looked vaguely about the room.

"Well, sir," he began, "I'm not over strong, but I think I could walk round with the man who taps the carriage wheels to see whether they are in order and help him to listen."

Goodrich Tires Give Easy Landing for Lindbergh at Paris

Goodrich Silvertown Cord tires played an important part in the transatlantic hop, completed recently by Captain Charles Edward Lindbergh. His landing equipment included Goodrich tires. These tires, inflated with good United States air, landed him safely on the flying field at Paris. It was the first time in history that an aviator carried such equipment on such a flight, according to Goodrich Rubber Company officials. The flight was a triumph and indicated clearly the careful manufacturing methods employed by producers of American products. Captain Lindbergh relied entirely on American excellence of manufacture and his flight proved that his trust was well founded.

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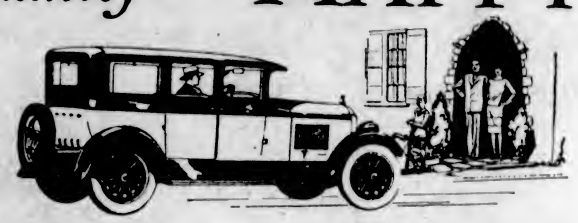

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All Chrysler cars have the additional protection against theft of the Fedco System of numbering. *Chrysler dealers are in position to extend the convenience of time payments. Ask about Chrysler's attractive plan.*

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Traffic Cops in India Are as Necessary as in Canada, and "Pull Over to the Curb," or Its Equivalent, Is a Demand That Must Be Met. The Photograph Shows How They Do It in Bombay. The Lady on the "Bike" Is an Exotic Note.

MILLIONTH OF INCH FIGURES IN OAKLAND

Precision Is Vital Matter With Engineers of Corporation in Adjusting Motor Parts

The great majority of the people wouldn't even consider so small a measure as one or two-millionths of an inch. In fact, it is so small that it is invisible except under the most powerful magnifying glass. Nevertheless, engineers of the Oakland Motor Car Company check their gauges, which are accurate up to 100,000th of an inch, with this master gauge, which is accurate to the two-millionth part of an inch.

"In this manner the reciprocating parts of the Oakland Six motor are as accurate as it is humanly possible to make them," declared the local dealers, McRae-Meldram Motors, Ltd.

RESULTS PROVE IT

"The bringing of all reciprocating and rotating parts of the Oakland Six engine into balance for weight and centre of gravity together with almost mechanically perfect fitting of parts is responsible in a large measure for the outstanding performance and long life of this popular General Motors product.

"For instance, a diamond is used to bore and hold the limit of the Oakland piston pin bushing to a thickness of one-third that of an ordinary cigarette paper. This is one of the closest limits in the industry. To attempt to explain every operation in the building of a motor would require too much time and space.

CRANKSHAFT VITAL

"But there is one scientific device used in measuring the close limit operations in Oakland Six factories which is worthy of more than passing note. It is the crankshaft balancing machine, an instrument which uses a light beam under octagonal prism glass to measure the unbalanced condition and to indicate its location and amount to any point on the shaft.

"The light beam for years has been used for experimental work in fine limits in scientific laboratories because a light beam will pass through the most minute opening—one which can neither be seen nor determined by any other type of gauge. Thus as the crankshaft spins in its testing machine the operator detects the exact point where the vibration is set up, and by grinding a few minute grains of steel from the point indicated brings the crankshaft into almost vibrationless travel."

Summer Traffic

With motor vehicle traffic increasing steadily toward the Summer peak, motorists are urged to be on the lookout for small animals, such as cats, dogs and chickens while driving. Often a dearly beloved pet of some child is maimed or killed by a motorist who could have averted the tragedy by a little care.

BRAKE SAFETY IN U.S. FIGURED OUT

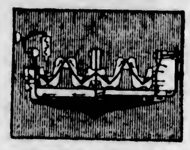
American Automobile Company Tabulate Results of Calculations by Engineers

Every passenger motor vehicle and every other vehicle weighing 6,000 pounds gross or less, with certain specified exceptions, operated in the United States, must be equipped with a foot brake capable of stopping it from a speed of twenty miles an hour within a distance of fifty feet, and with a hand brake capable of stopping the vehicle from the same rate of speed within a distance of seventy-five feet.

Trucks, tractors and other motor vehicles for transporting goods or materials and that have a gross weight of more than 6,000 pounds, whether operated singly or in combination, must be capable of stopping within fifty feet from twenty miles an hour upon simultaneous application of foot and hand brakes, and within seventy-five feet upon application of either the foot or hand brake alone.

These are some of the provisions of a safety code for brakes and brake testing that has been prepared by a committee representing the American Automobile Association, the Bureau of Standards and the Society of Automotive Engineers.

REFINEMENTS RESPONSIBLE FOR OLDSMOBILE PERFORMANCE



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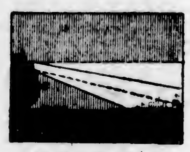

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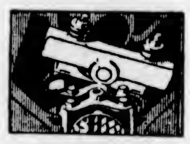

HARMONIC BALANCER
The harmonic balancer counteracts torsional vibration.

THE quality and the performance of an automobile are not intangible attributes. They are based upon certain definite features of the car's construction and by these features they may be judged.

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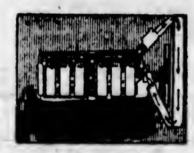

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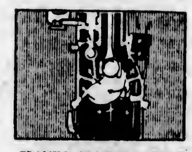

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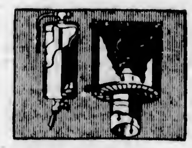

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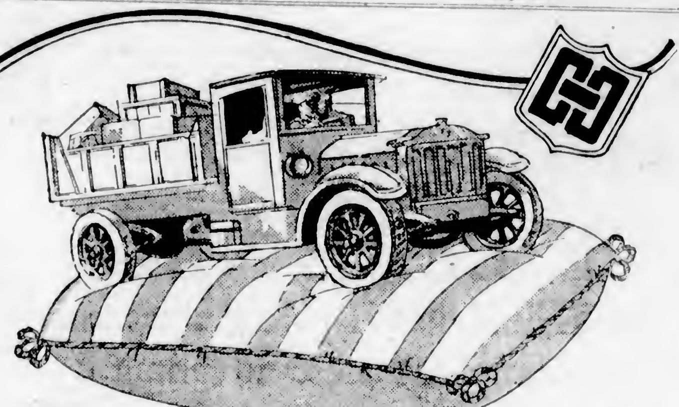

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Dodge Brothers Make Several Vital Changes in Popular New Models

Outstanding among the changes in Dodge Brothers' entire line of passenger cars is the adoption of a sturdier, more compact transmission with the gears arranged for standard shift.

The aim of the designer was to provide a gearset so sturdy that although transmitting the increased power developed by the new engine, it would sustain the good reputation earned by the former transmission for long life and freedom from wear. Another feature of the new transmission is ease and quietness of shifting. This reduces the amount of effort required to operate the car under modern traffic conditions and thus increases the pleasure of driving.

The gears are heavier and stronger than those of the former transmission and are made of chrome vanadium steel, heat treated in electrically heated furnaces, the temperature of which is accurate, automatically controlled within close limits. This insures maximum endurance to resist shock and hardness to resist wear.

Both of the shafts which support the gears have been made stronger and stiffer than those in the former transmission and are also of chrome vanadium steel. The new splined shaft is considerably shorter than the old, has six splines instead of four and is now 1⅜ inches in diameter. The forward end is supported by a roller pilot bearing instead of a plain bushing formerly used.

High Motor Tax

Automobiles in use in Tokio, Japan, must pay both municipal and prefectural taxes, which combine to make what is one of the highest annual tax rates on motor cars in the world. The yearly tax on cars over twenty horsepower is $312.13.

RUBBER SPRINGS

Never oil rubber spring supports at spring brackets, because it will destroy the action and possibly cause them to pull up.

New Border Office For Automobile Club

Authorization of plans and expenditures for a new office at the border on the Pacific Highway was given by the directors of the Automobile Club of British Columbia at the last provincial meeting. The new building will be a miniature replica of the general headquarters in Vancouver.

NERVOUS DRIVERS

A psychologist at the University of Pennsylvania proposes brain tests as a bar to nervous people from driving automobiles.

AUBURN STOCK CAR PROVES SPEEDSTER

Averages Over Eighty-Six Miles Per Hour in Recent Atlantic City Race

In the Atlantic City speedway race for seventy-five miles for strictly stock cars, May 7, an Auburn 8-88 roadster averaged over eighty-six miles per hour. There were two Auburn roadsters in the race. One made the seventy-five miles in 52 minutes 10:77 seconds, and the other in 52 minutes, 48:91 seconds.

"It took courage to enter this race, which was open to all manufacturers and dealers," says E. L. Cord, president of the Auburn Automobile Company. "Auburn has the highest respect for those who entered, because it was a most merciless test of speed, endurance and reliability, and any one of many minor things might have happened to put a car out of the running. The phenomenal performance demonstrated in this race is the greatest proof, in our opinion, of the really wonderful progress that has been made in building better automobiles. These cars were not special race cars, but strictly stock cars with fenders and windshields removed, in open competition sanctioned and supervised by the American Automobile Association. The results of this race furnish the public with conclusive evidence of the advance made in building cars of greater endurance, of greater ability and reliability. In short, this race shows the public how much more value is being given and what the buyer today has a right to expect."

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Opening of Carquinez Bridge Links Great Coastal Highway Between North and South

CROCKTET, May 28.—The opening and dedication day of the Carquinez Bridge, spanning the northern arm of San Francisco Bay—the longest highway bridge in the world—has written an epoch in the highway history of the West as well as in bridge building. The new structure is the connecting link in the Pacific Highway extending from British Columbia to Mexico.

In addition to the bridge work, the mighty project involved the construction of two and a half miles of new highway, including one of the biggest excavation and dirt-moving contracts undertaken in the history of western road building.

President Calvin Coolidge pressed the golden key in a telegraph instrument on his desk in Washington that sent an electric spark across the continent, releasing a giant American flag and setting off four bombs on the bridge tower of the great Carquinez span. The bridge was open.

WORK CARRIED ON

The story of Carquinez Bridge is more than a story of concrete and steel and steam shovels and heroic structural steel workers.

It is the story of a man with a great vision, who died before his dream became a reality. It is the story of Aven J. Hanford, Vallejo groceryman, and Oscar H. Klatt, traveling salesmen, who caught the vision of Hanford and after Hanford's death carried on as president of the American Toll-Bridge Company.

It is the story of engineers who drew the plans and directed the work of construction, the story of C. Derleth, jr., chief engineer, dean of the College of Civil Engineering, University of California, and George Calder, resident engineer.

The total length of the bridge is 4,482 feet, as compared with the Blackwells Island, N.Y., bridge, which is 2,724 feet. It extends from the north of Vallejo shore to the south of Crockett side of Carquinez Straits. It has a clearance of 135 feet above water line, sufficient to let the largest battleship pass.

HUGE CENTRE TOWERS

The bridge is supported by three centre towers, each 325 feet in height above mean water level. Centre towers are 150 feet wide, extend 185 feet above the floor of the bridge, and support two arms, each 500 feet long. The roadway is thirty feet wide, sufficient to allow three trucks to pass at once. It is estimated that the traffic flow will reach 1,000,000 motor vehicles annually.

Usually in bridge construction traveling cranes are used which put the steel girders in place, building the bridge ahead as they go. Engineers on the Carquinez Bridge, however, decided on another construction method, often used elsewhere. They fabricated the two spans on the shore of the straits and floated them into place below the finished part of the bridge and then raised them 135 feet into the air.

To do this an intricate system of counter-balances was created. Four huge boxes, each 13 by 13 by 21 feet, were filled with sand, 200 tons—five carloads—in each. These were attached to 2½-inch steel cables which hung from the ends of the approaches and span. The cables ran through steel pulleys and were wound over a system of drums. After the cables had been attached to the span the boxes were slowly released and their weight served to draw the span into the air.

PREVENTED VIBRATION

Each span weighed 750 tons. A system of heavy hemp ropes attached the top of the span on each side kept it from rocking or tipping over.

Excavation of 207,000 cubic yards of material was necessary in building the two-mile stretch of the southern approach. Gigantic cuts and fills were made. One of the excavations necessary on the bridge approach is 500 feet long, 106 feet deep and 100 feet wide. Eighty-three thousand yards of earth, or about 1,120,500 tons, were taken from this cut alone.

Dirt moved from this great excavation was used for fill purposes, one fill being fifty feet deep. Under the requirements of the contract, the dirt was spread in one-foot layers and then rolled with trucks, tractors and other heavy equipment in order to insure the use of the road immediately without disastrous settling or sliding.

On the north side, 60,000 yards of earth were removed from a deep cut at the bridge head and used to bank a lengthy shallow fill connecting with the main highway near Vallejo.

Motor Mileage Leads but to the Waste Heap

The huge collection of discarded tires pictured above form only one heap of the 3,250,000 tires which are consigned to the waste cart every year in Los Angeles. This has caused the development of a new exporting industry. Inner tubes and bicycle tires are shipped to France, where they are melted and new inner tubes made.

Fire at Mission Takes Heavy Toll of Garages

The red-handed demon of fire took a heavy toll from three British Columbia garages during recent weeks. The first to go up in flames was the garage of the Mission Motors, at Mission, where a loss of $15,000, which was partly covered by insurance, occurred. The next to go on fire was the Haney Garage at Port Haney, where twenty used automobiles and the garage premises, valued at $4,000, were demolished. The last and greatest blaze of all was at Kelowna, where thirty-two automobiles and a large stock of tires and equipment, valued at $40,000, was destroyed when the garage and showrooms of A. J. Smith were completely gutted.

BENZOL FUELS

Motorists who turn to benzol fuels should have the carburetor of their cars set at a leaner adjustment than for ordinary gasoline if they would get a maximum mileage.

FORD OF VINTAGE OF 1904 RESURRECTED

Oregon Rancher Claims the Oldest Privately-Owned Car in America

What is believed to be the oldest and the longest privately-owned automobile in America was discovered last week by representatives of the Ford Motor Company, when R. G. Still, Milton, Ore., rancher, called for a tow car and had his 1904 model Ford car taken to a nearby Ford garage.

MOTOR METHUSELAH

Investigation showed that the Methuselah of automobiles had suffered a cracked cylinder during the cold Winter and that it was in need of the services of an acetylene welding outfit. The cracked cylinder was repaired, the car tuned up and put back in service.

Mr. Still purchased the machine in 1904. It was a new car and the first in that section of Eastern Oregon. He has owned it ever since and has used it extensively. As speedometers were unknown in those days, the total mileage of the machine is unknown.

There is much about this ancient Ford that attracts attention. In the first place, the hood is camouflage. The car's two cylinders are located under the seat, the hood concealing a gasoline and a water tank.

Entrance to the tonneau is by a door in the rear and the gear shift lever is built on the outside of the front seat.

CARBIDE LIGHTS

The lights are of the carbide variety, while the dashlights, resembling those of the old carriage, burn oil.

While the rear of the car is complete, there are no doors to the front seat. The car has no top and never has had one, for in those days motor cars were used only on bright, clear days.

Though the old car has passed its day of usefulness, Mr. Still refuses to part with it. He has had numerous offers for the old machine, but prefers to keep it.

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ATTENTION INSURES SILENT CAR SERVICE

Paige-Detroit Body Engineer Offers Suggestions in Connection With Motor Squeaks

Many of the obnoxious squeaks which develop in an automobile may be eliminated by a little well-directed attention to the moving parts of the body. The cures for the body ills are so simple that all too often they are not considered at all.

Albert V. Crump, body engineer of the Paige-Detroit Motor Car Company, points out that the body parts may be greatly benefited by a few drops of oil or some slight adjustment.

SILENT SERVICE

"A little care by the motorist and the body ordinarily will respond with silent service," the Paige engineer declares. "For example, the door hinges should have regular attention. They should be oiled from the inside between the two halves with lubricating oil.

"Door locks are packed with grease when they are assembled, but with constant use they dry out. Pull the bolt back to the face of the lock and oil through the bolt hole. A little lard grease applied on the inside of the door lock striker often makes the lock operate more easily and reduces the wear between the bolt and the striker plate.

"Friction between the bolt and the striker plate often leads the owner to believe that it is the lock itself that is working hard. An adjustment in the lock striker plates can be made by merely loosening the three machine screws that hold the plate and moving it in or out as it requires.

RATTLING DOORS

"In a majority of cases, rattling doors are due to the rubber door bumpers needing adjustment. If new bumpers are not available, the old ones may be used by pulling the rubber from the retainer and inserting a couple of thicknesses of cardboard between the back of the bumper and the retainer. This will bring the door out so that the lock bolt presses harder against the striker plate.

"Other possible annoyances may be eliminated by applying a little hard grease to the face of the door bumpers and striker plates."

Recommendations of B.C. Automobile Club

A resolution recommending improvements to the road from Trail to Rossland and another urging the erection of road signs on the provincial highway between Kelowna and Penticton, were passed by the Automobile Club of British Columbia at its recent provincial meeting. These will be forwarded to the Government for consideration.

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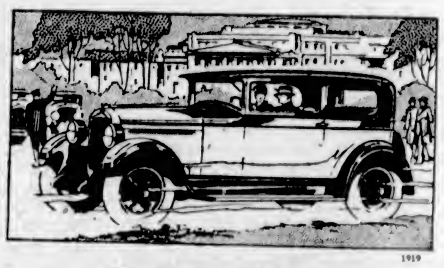

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Passing Other Cars

When about to overtake another car, it is important to glance into the rear-view mirror to see whether anyone behind is trying to pass. If several cars have passed from the opposite direction, however, it is not necessary to glance behind. It is obvious under these conditions that no one could be swinging over to the opposite side of the road in an effort to pass.

Philanthropist Adds To Facilities Given Touring Motorists

Provides Accommodation at Blaine While Cars Are Clearing Through Customs at Boundary Peace Arch—Mr. Samuel Hill Shows Continued Interest in Scheme He Originated

Unique Features Incorporated In Design of Gigantic Resthouse

"TO settle up a country you must get people to come in. This is best accomplished on this continent by highways, that is, good roads. Then when the people come to look—or to stay—they must be fed."

This is the confident belief of Mr. Samuel Hill, of Pacific Highway fame, who is constructing at Semiahmoo, B.C., where the highway crosses the international boundary, a vast restaurant intended to cater to the tourists who are racing north and south in ever-increasing thousands annually. Mr. Hill is no stranger in Victoria, where he has been a regular visitor for several Summers, and where he is well-known as the man who originated and carried through the Peace Arch project at Blaine to celebrate the hundred years' peace between Canada and the United States.

Mr. Hill measures civilization's progress in any country by the state of its roads, the highways of man and commerce. Years ago two men stood on the boundary between Canada and the United States. While they stood there two miner's pack-trains went by. One of these men, a Canadian, had just finished his second railway from the Great Lakes to the Coast. The other, an American, incorporated the Pacific Highway, which Mr. A. E. Todd conceived, and put through to Mexico and Arizona, a distance of 2,100 miles. Both these men had the same ideals, the same faith in their own people, although entertaining nothing but the most amicable feelings for the people of the neighboring countries. That sentiment found its ultimate expression and testimony in the Peace Arch, the first ever erected in the world's history.

Since the opening of that Peace Arch hundreds of thousands of Americans and Canadians have crossed and recrossed the international boundary, the number swelling annually, until last year 850,883 persons passed the frontier at this point.

Again Mr. Hill saw the possibilities of highway improvement. Motorists reaching the internationanl boundary had, of necessity, to suffer a little delay while their baggage was being examined by the Customs officials. Why not, he thought, rob the delay of its discomfort, and convert it into a pleasant episode? So he hit upon the idea of the great tourist inn, where people could lunch or dine comfortably while waiting for their cars to pass the Customs.

No sooner conceived than acted upon, the "Old English Restaurant Company, Limited," came into being. The great concrete and wooden structures, the dining building with a capacity for one thousand guests at a single sitting are now rapidly nearing completion, and the early Summer tourists travelling north and south are already stopping off to examine the undertaking.

One of the two main buildings has four rooms on the ground floor, each forty feet. One is the kitchen, another measuring approximately forty by is devoted entirely to the preparation of vegetables, another to the preparation of meats, and the fourth will be used for the vast operation of dish-washing. The floor above this will consist of the business offices and a flat roof garden which commands a fine view of the sea, and underneath the building is a big concrete cellar for storage of supplies.

Separated by a narrow passage from this building is the dining-hall, a structure resembling a shallow horseshoe in shape, and partitioned off into hundreds of small private dining-rooms, at which motors deposit their passengers with the privilege of parking space at the entrance to their own room. At the end of a long passage on the other side of these rooms is a great dancing pavilion 300 feet long.

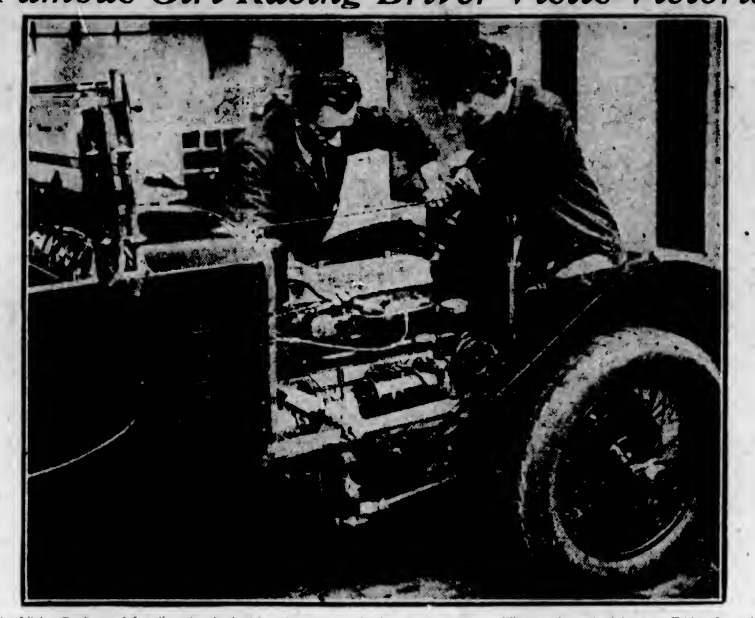
The great feature, so far as the cuisine is concerned, will be the method of serving meats and other hot dishes, as Mr. Hill is adapting the system familiarized to Englishmen and others by Simpson's restaurant in London, metal "waiters" on wheels conveying the viands on trays kept hot by electricity.

Partitions between the little private dining-rooms may be folded back, thus increasing the accommodation of each at will.

The grounds are spacious, affording parking space for 4,000 motors. In the grounds are dressing-rooms, with shower-baths, etc. Just inside the entrance to the grounds will be a curio shop, with Indian baskets, rugs, and other native handicrafts. A small hotel with accommodation for a limited number of guests is already practically completed, and a nine-hole golf course is part of the project.

The whole scheme hinges on the fact that thousands upon thousands of American tourists at this point on the international boundary will of necessity be delayed for a time during examination by the Customs officials, and in the immediate neighborhood the new Canadian Customs building is to be erected in the near future, adding still another attractive structure to the group of buildings which i springing up on either side of th Pacific Highway at this point.

Famous Girl Racing Driver Visits Victoria



Miss Violet Cordery, of London, daredevil girl racing driver, who has set numerous world's records, arrived here on Friday from Australia. Miss Cordery will set out from Vancouver to motor across the continent to New York. She expects to travel 7,000 miles in Canada and the United States by motor before sailing for home on the last leg of her tour around the world.

Venerable Dealer of Tokio Explains Tea-Making Art

TOKIO.—(By Mail.)—"New tea" is the placard displayed prominently outside the teashops and restaurants of Tokio, heralding the arrival of tea from this Spring's harvest. Cargoes are coming daily from Shizuoka and Kyoto prefectures, centres of the tea industry.

The Japanese pride themselves on their taste for tea, cultivated through centuries. Every man in Japan, and every woman, believes himself a tea-taster.

A representative of The Transpacific went recently to see Mr. Kahei Yamamoto, the oldest tea dealer in Tokio, whose ancestors established his shop even before the Yedo period, and who handles a third of the tea sold in Tokio, much of which comes from his own plantation in Uji, Kyoto prefecture.

"The foreigner who has sipped Gyokuro tea when it comes fresh and new in the Spring, knows nothing of true Japanese green tea," he said. "We Japanese have cultivated taste for this during twelve centuries, but people of the West, who dare to use sugar and milk in tea, have no conception of what real tea tastes like."

The uncolored Japanese tea which is shipped abroad lacks entirely the delicate flavor so much appreciated here, said Mr. Yamamoto. And the queen of teas, in his opinion, is Gyokuro, a delicate blend originated by his grandfather.

PREPARATION AN ART

Tea drinking is an art, says Mr. Yamamoto, just as flower arrangement is an art. The hot water plays almost as important a part as the tea leaves. "Any kettle will not do to make hot water for tea," said the tea dealer. "The person knew this fact who gave 30,000 yen recently for an old iron kettle with a broken cover.

"An iron tea kettle, preferably one which has been used for the same purpose for centuries, is suitable. It should be placed over a charcoal fire, and heated until the kettle begins to sing. And it should sing a certain tune. According to the Buddhist priest Yeisai, who lived in the thirteenth century, the song of the kettle ready for tea should be like the sound of wind passing through pine trees.

"The temperature of the water should be just enough to permit the finger to slip into it without burning. It is best to pour water into a cooler first, as otherwise the delicate flavor of the tea is likely to be lost.

"The tea master must be particular even about the kind of charcoal used for the fire. The water would be spoiled if it were heated over a fire on which a fish had previously been broiled. In rural districts, the people use wood to make fires over which to heat water. But such a fire will never make tea for a connoisseur.

"With the hot water at the proper temperature, the master sprinkles in a few leaves of tea, giving all of them time to be steeped. When it has become strong enough, it is ready to drink.

"But connoisseurs never 'drink' tea, they merely sip it. If one prepares new Spring tea in this fashion, it will give three pronouncedly different tastes, known as kumikan (bitter, sweet and astringent). The tea master likes his tea to have all the three flavors.

Mr. Yamamoto has experimented with various kinds of modern machinery for picking tea, but finds that hand-picked tea always is best. He declares he can readily distinguish the flavor. Expert tea pickers are in great demand, and make ten yen a day through the Spring and Summer.

He was irascible and obstinate, and he had ventured on the ice when common sense should have warned him against it. When the ice gave way and he found himself in several feet of cold water his temper gave way, too.

"Dear me!" exclaimed an old lady sympathetically. "How did you come to fall in like that?"

For a moment he glared back at her balefully, then:

"I didn't come to fall in," he snapped. "I came to skate!"

Tennis Season to Be One of Busiest Ever

LONDON, May 28.—The coming tennis season promises to be the busiest ever. The British Lawn Tennis Association has sanctioned 170 open tournaments, including junior championships and junior tournaments.

In addition to the contests at Wimbledon, there will be a contest between British and French women in London about June 16, and contests between British and American men June 16, 17 and 18.

ARCTIC OUTPOSTS TO WATCH ECLIPSE

Men in Canadian Northland Asked to Co-operate With Harvard University Observatory

NEW YORK, May 28.—The outposts of civilization in the Canadian Arctic wilderness have been asked by radio to aid the Harvard University Observatory in observing on June 15 the first lunar eclipse since 1892. Observers in the northern country in the region of Chesterfield Inlet, Bear Lake, Rampart House and Good Hope had a message of instruction broadcast to them recently.

Directions for the observation of this rare lunar phenomenon, addressed to members of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, representatives of the Hudson's Bay Company and Revillon Freres' Trading Company, and the Oblate missionary fathers among the Eskimos, was broadcast in part as follows:

"A total eclipse of the moon will occur on June 15, 1927, the centre of the eclipse being at 2.24 a.m., Eastern Standard Time. The sun and moon will both be nearly on the horizon on the day and hour mentioned at the posts to which this message is addressed.

"It is of great scientific interest to know as exactly as possible what the weather conditions are at that particular time at points near this line. Baker Lake is the most important point of all, and the astronomers would appreciate any special efforts to procure observations there."

According to Dr. Willard J. Fisher, of Harvard, it should be possible this year to determine the density of the earth's shadow very near to the edge of the earth.

Bishop Arsene Turquetil, head of the Oblate missionaries and keeper of the meteorological records at Chesterfield Inlet, is in Montreal and has directed two priests at Chesterfield Inlet, by radio, to take up vantage points several miles apart in order to observe the eclipse.

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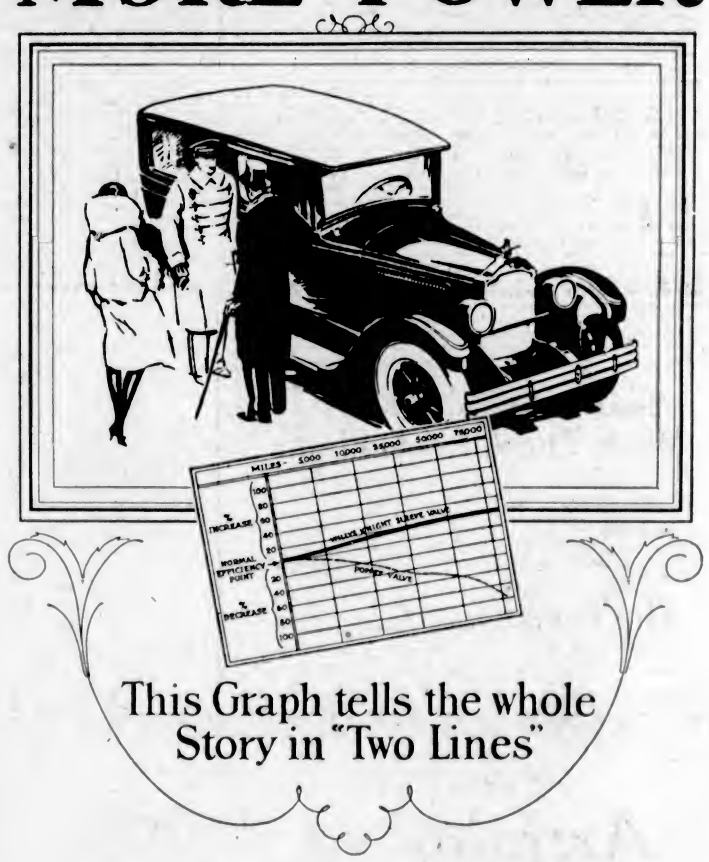

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Poultry on the Farm

By R. C. GIBSON

We have known cases in which a piece of poor, barren land that did not pay to cultivate, has been transformed into a tolerably good pasture as a direct result of being heavily stocked with poultry for a few years. There are, of course, seasons in the year when fowls do great damage if allowed their liberty. In a field of very young corn, when the green shoots are just ripening, or in a field of growing grass near mowing time, fowls play great havoc; but for ten months out of the twelve, rather than harm they do good. When the conditions allow, and the colony system of housing is adopted, difficulty of collection and distribution is done away with—as the manure falls directly on to the land. The chief point to bear in mind in this direction is to see that the houses are moved regularly from on place to another so that the manure is evenly distributed.

When fowls are confined in a run, however, the manure should be collected at regular intervals since this helps very materially to keep the land pure and sweet, besides which the manure that is collected has a good marketable value. When the run is swept and the manure removed the land may be more heavily stocked than when the manure is allowed to remain. As the manure is collected it should be partially dried before storing in order to prevent fermentation setting in, in which case some of the ammonia escapes, greatly reducing the fertilizing value. It should be stored in a dry place, since if exposed to rain it loses much of its strength.

A light dressing of poultry manure gives the best results, for it must not be forgotten that it is extremely concentrated. As would naturally be expected, the purer that poultry manure can be obtained the more value attaches to it.

When mixed with peat moss, sawdust, straw or other litters it is obviously greatly reduced in its fertilizing powers.

One has to be very careful when applying peat moss litter to land, for it is practically indestructible and soon renders the soil wet and boggy. A little does no harm, particularly if it is thoroughly saturated with manure, but it must at all times be sparingly used. There is always a ready sale for poultry manure to nurserymen, and especially in the neighborhood of market gardens, provided it is in a pure state and not adulterated with much litter. Since an adult fowl produces nearly a hundredweight of manure per annum it requires no elaborate calculation to see that it is really extremely valuable and adds very considerably to a bird's annual profit.

CHEMICAL ASSISTANCE

It is an open secret that experienced poultry breeders often resort to chemical assistance in feeding their chickens and growing birds, also in the breeding pens, especially where brilliancy of color is required for the show pen. Iron in various forms is much used by breeders and we all know how wonderfully it assists in building up the constitution when assimilated with other foods. There are two forms in which it may be given, viz., citrate of iron or phosphate of iron, known as chemical food. It is best given in the drinking water, very little being given, just sufficient to make the water brackish, as it is the continual feeding with iron tonics that produces the best effects. I may state that scientists contend eggs from "iron-fed" poultry are more nutritious, but I should add that in order to keep the bowels active it is necessary that plenty of green food should be given regularly. In order to increase the strength of the germ in eggs for incubation citrate of iron should be given to the male bird. Some time ago I earned the thanks of a reader for this advice.

The provision of shelter during the Summer months, particularly so far as young stock is concerned, is an extremely important factor towards success, since too much sun has an equally bad effect upon all classes of poultry as too little. If the birds are exposed to the blazing sun their growth is not so rapid, their appetites fail and they are altogether less healthy. Some poultry keepers are so fortunately situated that there is an abundance of natural shelter available. There are more, however, whose places are exposed and who possess no hedges or woods under the lee of which their birds can run. When this is the case it is necessary to provide artificial shelter. Two hurdles, fastened together with straw between, answers the purpose well, or a few flake hurdles, erected at an angle of forty-five degrees, or else stood on four short legs, afford excellent protection. Bundles of gorse are likewise useful as the chickens can crawl beneath.

To keep fowls in good health and productiveness during the Summer months it is necessary to make a few changes from the plan of feeding adopted during the colder seasons. Heating foods, such as maize and barley, should now be left out of the diet, and the two best grains at this season of the year are wheat and oats, which should be given in equal parts. Some fowls do not care for oats at first on account of the husks, but some samples are so poor as not to be worth buying. Choose a good, plump white oat and the birds will very soon take to it. Meat may also be left out of the diet for fowls which have a good run, though a small quantity may still be given to birds in confinement, whilst young stock should have a regular supply. Soft food need no longer be given warm. Nothing is better for the morning feed than biscuit meal, soaked and dried off, with sharps. The quantity of food must be reduced, as well as the quality and fowl must be fed according to their requirements. If the crops are seen to be full in the evening, there is no necessity to give any more, and fowl at liberty find so much food that as a rule they require only one meal a day at this time of the year.

HOW A HEN PERCHES

It is impossible for a hen to double her legs up so as to have them close to her body and not draw her toes together as it is for you to sit down in a chair and not bend your limbs at the thighs. The hen by nature will roost in a tree, and when she goes to roost she will keep changing her position until she finds a limb of such shape and size that when she sits down her toes clutch around it and just as long as she sits down she cannot be blown off her perch, as she is by mechanical construction of her legs and feet anchored to the limb. To convince yourself catch a hen and double up her leg until the foot comes nearly up to her breast, and if her foot does not double up then, you can tell me if I am wrong.

Another fact: A hen always makes her nest hollowed out like a dish when she can, and thus when she sits in her nest her legs are not doubled up closely but are down in the centre of her nest and are usually found clutching some of the nest. When she is hatching her eggs she spreads her wings, works her feet down beneath her eggs and rests her body largely on her wings and on her eggs. She does not sit down as she does when she roosts on a perch.

A hen cannot rest easily on a slat or any other perch that she cannot clutch, as she is then compelled to rest at a half sit-down, or else on her bent-up feet. To prove this, pass your hand under some gentle old hen when roosting and again when she is sitting on her eggs.

WEANING TIME

When the time comes for the hen to leave her charges one of two courses should be adopted: either the birds may remain in their coops as before, or be moved into a cold brooder. Of course they must be placed apart from younger chicks and not allowed to intermingle with adults. In regard to food, finely chopped green bone may be introduced at midday, and very gradually whole grain. This can be either dari or small wheat, or a mixture of both. Let the birds have as extensive a range as you can spare, as this gives them a chance of obtaining natural food, the best thing they can have for growing purposes.

At ten weeks chickens may be considered reared. Between eight to ten weeks is an extremely critical period and during that time everything possible must be done to keep them growing. Be careful not to over-feed. Do not for a moment relax your efforts, do not feed more than four times a day till the birds lay, and do not forget to supply fine grit at regular intervals. If you are ever in a fix with none to help you, consult your common-sense, which will seldom fail you.

The system of feeding young ducks now generally in vogue consists in using a mixture of breadcrumbs, green material, boiled eggs and five per cent of sand mixed with water. This is fed four times a day for the first five days. During the next fifteen days a mixture of wheat, bran, corn and rolled oats, beef scraps, sand and clover may be used. For the succeeding twenty-two days bran, maize meal, beef scraps, sand and clover are recommended, and finally, during the last few weeks, a a similar mixture in which the maize meal is considerably increased.

NOTES FOR THE BEGINNER

There are two ways to get a start in poultry. One is to buy stock, and the other is to buy eggs, and from the chicks hatched start your foundation for the future.

If you have a special liking for any one variety, get it, as you will make a greater success with them than with a variety which you do not care so much for but wish to experiment with.

Keep in your mind this one thing—it is neither good policy nor economy to buy too cheaply. A beginner cannot afford to start with cheap stock, for, as a rule, they will not prove to be what he thinks they should and he will be dissatisfied at the start.

If you have decided to buy eggs to make your start, look over some advertisements and then write to a few of those that appeal most strongly to you for circulars or mating lists.

When did you whitewash the henhouse last. Use plenty of insect powder in the hen nests these warm days. Be sure that the roosting quarters are well ventilated at this time of the year. Plaster of paris scattered over the floor of the poultry house is a good absorbent and purifier.

When fowl are wanted for marketing and egg-laying, select those that are prolific and will put on flesh readily.

The food for small ducks should always be of a soft nature. They will not thrive well if fed a large part on whole grain and this often causes many deaths.

Blend the feed carefully with proper proportions of starch, fat and nitrogenous matter. Fine birds cannot be raised on a badly balanced ration.

Keep the drinking vessels filled with fresh water. More or less food escapes from the beak of the little chick when drinking. This food soon becomes sour in warm weather and the water is foul.

THE MISER

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Y.M.C.A. MODERNIZES RELIGIOUS TEACHING

Old Methods Failed to Appeal to Youth of Today, Says Secretary of Montreal Branch

MONTREAL, May 26.—Frankly admitting that the old approach to religious education had not served to challenge the youth of today, and equally frankly asserting that the modern viewpoint had found the desired reaction, the Young Men's Christian Association of Montreal, at its seventy-sixth annual meeting recently virtually announced that it stands on the modern platform in regard to religious teaching and expression.

In his report on the year's work, the main item of the meeting, J. W. Beaton, general secretary, under the heading of religious work, said:

"At the close of the war when the association began to take stock of its programme, great concern was felt over the evident falling off of attendance in this department of the association's work. Explanation of this condition most frequently offered at the time was the irreligion of young people due to their preoccupation with pleasure, a condition which was thought to be the result of the war. It was not for some time that association leaders began to seek an explanation in the quality of the programme itself. When this was done, it was discovered that the former religious work was ill-adjusted to the changed mental outlook of the young men whom it was intended to serve. In particular it was found that:

"1. Much of the teaching was out of line with present religious thought.

"2. The method, as a general thing, did not encourage free discussion, but rather assumed a fixed body of religious truth to be taught the members through Bible classes and religious meetings.

"3. The emphasis was mainly individualistic, and little account was taken of the great social questions that have arisen in modern life.

"It was realized that such a programme, effective as it had been at an earlier period, could not appeal in the same degree to thoughtful young people of this generation. It afforded them little help in the effort to adjust their religious and scientific thinking, and, interested as they were in questions of social welfare, its challenge to individual salvation left them unmoved.

"A new development then began in the religious programme of the Montreal Association.

"1. In its classes and meetings the difficulties young people faced in connection with a number of religious beliefs have been frankly recognized, and an attempt made to give these a more satisfactory interpretation.

"2. It has largely replaced the instructional Bible classes by informal groups, where young men actually face life situations and discuss their problems freely together with a leader who supplies information, but trusts the members to come to their own conclusions on the basis of study and investigation.

"3. It has endeavored to interpret religion in a broad social way, and through forum groups, etc., has provided opportunities for the discussion of public questions with the assistance of recognized authorities in these various fields.

"The result of this new emphasis has been seen for several years in a quickened interest in the association on the part of young men and others in the community, but undoubtedly the past year has been the most encouraging."

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In the Radio World

When "S O S." Interrupts Broadcasting Programme

Rapid Change From Dealing With Demands of Pleasure to Take Up Probable Tragedy Marks Huge Network on Receiving Lone Appeal

By J. T. W. MARTIN

Unexpected drama occasionally flashes into the lives of radio listeners living near both coasts of the United States when signals of distress from a ship at sea cause suspension of broadcasting.

Picture a listener who has tuned his receiver to 492 metres for one of the National Broadcasting Company's weekly radio features. The programme is progressing smoothly when there is a sudden interruption. A strange voice remarks, "This is station WEAF, New York. We are signing off because of an SOS." Silence follows. The station is standing by to insure that rescue arrangements may be carried on without interruption from brodacasting.

A hurried trip down the dials probably divulges that about half of the local stations signed off at the same time or shortly after WEAF. One by one, the remaining broadcasters suspend their programmes. Within four or five minutes the air is clear. Pleasure, in the form of broadcast entertainment, has given way before the pressure of business—and a grim business it is.

Broadcast listeners can receive a good many thrills from following the course of an SOS signal, even if they are unable to read code. It is simple to picture a disabled steamer wallowing through forty-foot waves while a heroic radio operator clings to a support in his reeling shack on deck and sends out details of the ship's condition and position to vessels and land stations which have replied to his signals of distress.

At the station's transmitter, another angle of the drama is apparent. Every broadcasting station situated on or near the coast is required by law to maintain what is known as a "600-metre watch." Perhaps the term "600-metre listen" would be more nearly descriptive, since this "watch" consists of constant listening on the regular ship communication channel while the station is on the air. Keeping the "watch" is a tiresome job into which excitement enters only on those rare occasions when signals of distress are heard.

However, the watch is strictly maintained at most of the stations. In the case of WEAF, WJZ and WRC, stations managed by the National Boardcasting Company, operators who are assigned this duty are compelled to keep a log of calls heard, with the times at which the signals are received.

WEAF'S transmitter is at present located at 463 West Street, New York. The station's antenna is on the roof of this building, and the 600-metre watch is maintained in the room which houses the transmitting apparatus. The watch is begun fifteen minutes before the station goes on the air, to make sure that the ether is clear at that time, and it is kept until the transmitter is shut down.

SIGNAL OF DISTRESS

When the "watchman" hears a signal of distress, he first verifies it by communicating by telephone with the District Communications Superintendent of the Navy Department, located in the Whitehall Building. This office is in turn in constant touch with the Navy Yard in Brooklyn, where the Navy Department radio station for the district, NAH, is located.

On many occasions, before the watchman at WEAF's transmitter has had time to verify the call with the District Communications office, NAH, the "Watch Dog of the Ether," will have opened up with "QST DE NAH QRT SOS"—meaning in dot and dash parlance, "General call from NAH, clear the air because of an SOS," an order to all broadcasting stations in the district to shut down activities.

When this call is heard, or before that time in the case of an SOS which has been intercepted by the watchman and verified by the District Communications office, the operator at WEAF's transmitter immediately turns a switch which throws the station's programme off the air. Then, speaking into a microphone in front of him, he announces that the station is signing off because of an SOS. The transmitter is shut down, but the tubes are kept burning, because within a short time the air may be clear again.

In the meantime, code transmitters up and down the coast are endeavoring to communicate with the disabled vessel, using for this purpose every fraction of the power they possess. The Navy Yard station continues to send out its warning. The 600 metre traffic lane resounds with dots and dashes.

ORDER OUT OF CHAOS

Gradually, some semblance of order grows out of the chaos. Broadcast listeners who are able to read fast code can often follow the various stages of the rescue arrangements. Usually, one coastal station will direct the rescue, and within a short time this station will have communicated with several vessels located close to the ship in distress.

In communicating with the coastal station, ships first ascertain the position of the vessel which has called for help and then report their distance from the ship in hours. One of two vessels will be assigned to speed to the rescue, and once they have changed their courses, the "All clear" signal is sent out by the land station and broadcasting activities are resumed.

When WEAF's or WJZ's transmitter is thrown off the air on account of an SOS, the control room adjacent to the studio of course knows of the fact immediately, both by signal lights and through the portion of the station's monitor system which is picking up the programme as it is broadcast and reproducing it in the control room.

Visitors to WEAF and WJZ during the time that an SOS has caused suspension of broadcasting usually express surprise at the fact that the artists in the studio are not notified of the trouble. The programme progresses in its usual manner and many people are disposed to snicker over the fact that the artists are wasting their efforts.

As a matter of fact, the programme must go on, because while it is not being heard in New York, it is being sent out by special circuits to other stations of the National Broadcasting Company's Networks. The SOS signal affects only broadcasting stations located near the coast and causes no suspension of activities on the part of inland broadcasters except for a few high-powered stations whose assigned wave-lengths are close to the 600-metre band.

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KOIN, Portland, Ore. (319m)—6-7 p.m., Dinner concert of pipe organ music. 8-9, Services from First Church of Christ, Scientist. 9, U.S. weather reports. 9-10, Mischa Pelz Concert Orchestra. 10-11, Insurance Philharmonic Orchestra.

KEX, Portland, Ore. (341.8m)—11 a.m., Services 8 p.m., Trio. 9, Lecture.

KFI, Los Angeles, Calif. (447m)—7-8 p.m., Organ. 6-9, Classic hour. 9-10, Bob Bottger's Venetians. 10-11, Packard Six Dance Orchestra.

KFON, Long Beach, Cal. (233m)—11 a.m., Service. 6 p.m., Request period.

KFWB, Hollywood, Calif. (252m)—8.30-9.30 p.m., Music. 9-11, Frolic.

KGO, Oakland, Calif. (361.2m)—11 a.m., Service. 6.30-7.30, Little Symphony. 7.35, Service. 9-10, Announced.

KGW, Portland, Ore. (491.5m)—11 a.m., Church. 7.30-9, Church. 9-10, Symphony Orchestra. 10-11, Symphony.

KHJ, Los Angeles, Calif. (405.2m)—7-8 p.m., Service, First M.E. Church. 8-10, Programme.

KJR, Seattle, Wash. (384.4m)—11 a.m., Service. 5.30, Dinner concert. 7-15, Organ. 7.30-9, Services. 9-15-10.45, Studio programme.

KNX, Holywood, Calif. (336.9m)—6.30 p.m., Service. 9, Features.

KOMO, Seattle, Wash. (303.9m)—11 a.m., Service. 6 p.m., Orchestra. 7.50, Service. 9.15, Bible Students' Association.

KPO, San Francisco, Calif. (428.3m)—6 p.m., Slates Restaurant Orchestra. 6.35, Palace Hotel Concert Orchestra. 8.35-10, Rudy Seiger's Fairmont Hotel Concert Orchestra.

MOUNTAIN STANDARD TIME STATIONS

KOA, Denver, Colo. (322.4m) — 11 a.m., Church service. 5.30, Organ. 7.45, Church service.

CENTRAL STANDARD TIME STATIONS

KFAB, Lincoln, Neb. (340.7m)—8-9 p.m., Munsells Quartette. 9-10.30, Musicale.

KFRX, Hastings, Neb. (288.3m)—6 p.m., Cornhusker dinner concert. 7, Studio Ensemble.

KFVE, St. Louis, Mo. (239.9m)—5.30 p.m., Twilight service musicale. Second Baptist Church. 7, Hotel Chase Orchestra. 8, Musicale, Third Baptist Church.

KLDS, Independence, Mo. (440.9m)—8.30 a.m., Bible study. 11, Studio service. 2 p.m., KLDS Studio Quartette. 3, Radio Church. 6.30, Vespers, sermon. 9-15, Services, choir.

KMA, Shenandoah, Iowa (461.3m)—4-6 p.m., Men's Gospel team.

KOIL, Council Bluffs, Ia. (303.9m)—11 a.m., First Congregational Church. 7.30, Dean Nordin and his orchestra. 11, Paramount Orchestra.

KPRC, Houston, Tex. (296.9m)—7.30 p.m., Services. 9.30, Frank Tilton, pianist.

KSD, St. Louis, Mo. (545.3m)—5.30 p.m., WEAF 7-15, WEAF.

KTHS, Hot Springs National Park, Ark. (374m)—11 a.m., Services 9-10, Music lovers' hour, Meyer Davis Ensemble, soloists. 10-10.45, Organ concert.

KVOO, Bristow, Okla. (374.8m)—6 a.m., Prayers. 9-15, Bible Class. 1 p.m., Walter Scborgen, Doris Ketner. 5, Gospel hour. 6, Piano recital. 7-15, Services.

WAMD, Minneapolis, Minn. (243.8m)—10.30 a.m., First Unitarian Church services. 3 p.m., Popular request programme. 6, McPhail players. 9-15, Harmony Hurricane, Gayle Wood.

WBAP, Fort Worth, Texas (475.9m)—11 a.m., Services. 12.30-1.30 p.m., Kiddies' hour. 5-6, Vesper hour. 9.30-11, Dick Lucke and his Texas Hotel Orchestra.

WCBD, Zion, Ill. (344.6m)—8 p.m., Trios, mixed quartette, Zion choir.

WCCO, Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn. (416.4m) —9-45 a.m., Services. 10.50, Services. 4-10 p.m., House of Hope Presbyterian Church. 6, Second Church of Christ, Scientist. 7-15, WEAF. 8-15, Musical programme. 9-15, Musical programme. 10, Organ recital, Hugo Goodwin.

WDOD, Chattanooga, Tenn. (256.3m)—11 a.m., Service. 5 p.m., Bible forum. 7-30, Service. 9-30, Concert.

WDAF, Kansas City, Mo. (365.6m)—3-4 p.m., Star's Orchestra. 4-4.45, Vespers.

WFAA, Dallas, Tex. (475.9m)—2.30-3.30 p.m., Farmers' hour, musical. 6-7, Bible class. 8-9, Service. 11 p.m.-12 midnight, La Mariquita and her Castilians.

WFIW, Hopkinsville, Ky. (217.3m)—9.30 a.m., Service. 9-10 p.m., Service.

WGBF, Evansville, Ind. (236.1m)—10.30 a.m., Services. 7.30 p.m., Services.

WHAS, Louisville, Ky. (399.8m)—10 a.m., Services. 5.30 p.m., WEAF.

WHB, Kansas City, Mo. (365.6m)—9.40 a.m., Linwood Blvd. Christian Church service. 11, Independence Blvd. Christian Church. 7 p.m., Radio service. 8, Programme. 9, Players. 11.15, Linwood Theatre Radio feature.

WHO, Des Moines, Iowa (526m)—11 a.m., Services. 4-5 p.m., Glee Club. 5-6, Orchestra. 7.30-8.30, Paul Christenson's Hotel Ft. Des Moines Orchestra.

WOC, Davenport, Ia. (483.6m)—1 p.m., Old folks. 6.30, Service. 7-15, Musicale. 9.30, Symphony.

EASTERN STANDARD OR CENTRAL DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME STATIONS

CFCA, Toronto, Ont. (357m)—11 a.m., Service. 7 p.m., Church service.

CKCL, Toronto, Ont. (357m)—3 p.m., Organ.

WAAM, Newark, N.J. (263m)—10.30 a.m., Church service.

WABC, New York, N.Y. (315.6m)—10.50 a.m., Services.

WABQ, Philadelphia, Pa. (261m)—6 p.m., Programme.

WBBR, New York, N.Y. (416.4m)—10 a.m., Morning service. 3 p.m., Musicale. 7, Musicale.

WBZ, Springfield, Mass. (333.1m)—10.30 a.m., Service. 1 p.m., Orchestra. 2, WJZ. 7, Hotel Statler Ensemble. 7.30, Concert. 8.30, Chamber of Commerce. 9.30, WJZ.

WCAE, Pittsburgh, Pa. (461.3m)—9.30 a.m., Church. 5.30 p.m., WEAF. 6.30, Dinner concert. 7-15, WEAF. 9-15, WEAF.

WNAC, Boston, Mass. (430.1m)—10.55 a.m., Service. 6.30, Orchestra. 7.30, Evening service. 9.05, Symphony.

WOO, Philadelphia, Pa. (508.2m)—2.30 p.m., Exercises. 6, Organ. 7.30, Church services.

WOR, Newark, N.J. (405m)—4.30 p.m., Studio programme. 6, Ensemble. 7.45, Concert.

WPG, Atlantic City, N.J. (299.8m)—3-15 p.m., Organ. 4-15, Community recital. 5-15, Twilight hour. 9-10, Orchestra. 10, Sunday evening musicale.

WTAG, Worcester, Mass. (345.1m)—4 p.m., WEAF. 7.20, WEAF.

Monday's Programme

PACIFIC TIME STATIONS

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (475.9m.)—8 a.m., New York stock quotations. 6.30 p.m., What's Doing in Town; organ recital by the courtesy of The Daily Colonist. 7.30, West Coast Information Service, weather reports and forecast. 10, Concert by the Temple Prize Band.

KOIN, Portland, Ore. (319m.)—3-4 p.m., News items, ad-o-grams and music. 6-7, Dinner concert of pipe organ music. 7-7.30, "What to Do and Where to Go." 7.30-8, Programme for shut-in children. 8-10, Studio musical programme. 10-11.30, Dance music from Council Crest Dance Band.

KEX, Portland, Ore. (211.8m.)—7.30 p.m., Talk.

KFI, Los Angeles, Cal. (467m.)—7-8 p.m., Music. 8-9, Popular programme. 9-10, Programme. 10-11, Programme by Meikiejohn Brothers.

KFOA, Seattle, Wash. (451.3m.)—7 p.m., Popular songs. 8-9, Programme.

KFWB, Hollywood, Cal. (232m.)—6-7 p.m., Dinner hour. 7.50, News. 8-9, Programme. 9-10, Programme. 10-11, Rainbo Isle Room. 11-12, Ballroom.

KGO, Oakland, Cal. (361.2m.)—6-6.55 p.m., Stanislas Bem's Little Symphony. 8-9, Programme. 9, Book chat.

KGW, Portland, Ore. (491.5m.)—8 p.m., National Broadcasting Company. 9, Venetian Hour. 10, Dance music.

KHQ, Spokane, Wash. (394.5m.)—6-7 p.m., Dinner music. 8.30-10, Organ concert.

KJR, Seattle, Wash. (384.4m.)—6.30 p.m., Dinner hour. 8-9.30, Studio programme.

KLX, Oakland, Cal. (508.2m.)—8-9 p.m., Studio Programme. 9-10, Lake Merritt Ducks.

KNX, Hollywood, Cal. (336.9m.)—7.30 p.m., playlet. 8, Programme. 9, Feature. 10, Lecture. 11, Frolic.

KOMO, Seattle, Wash. (305.9m.)—8.30 p.m., Light opera. 10.30, Musicale.

KPO, San Francisco, Cal. (428.3m.)—6.30-7 p.m., States Restaurant Orchestra. 7-7.30, Rudy Seiger's Fairmont Hotel Concert Orchestra. 8-9, Music. 9-10, Studio programme. 10-11, Cabirians. 11-12, Variety Hour.

KWSC, Pullman, Wash. (348.6m.)—7.30 p.m., Students concert.

KYA, San Francisco, Cal. (309.8m.)—7-15 p.m., Trio. 8, Popular night. 10, Orchestra.

MOUNTAIN STANDARD TIME STATIONS

KOA, Denver, Col. (322.4m.)—6 p.m., Scheuerman's Colorado Orchestra. 8-15, Studio programme.

KOB, State College, N.M. (318.6m.)—7.30 p.m., State College Orchestra.

CENTRAL STANDARD TIME STATIONS

KFAB, Lincoln, Neb. (340.7m.)—5.30-6.30 p.m., Hotel Lincoln Orchestra. 8.30-9, Chase Plowboys. 9-9.30, A. C. Spark Plug Co. programme. 9.30-11, Old time requests.

KFKX, Hastings, Neb. (288.3m.)—6-7 p.m., Rivoli Theatre organ. 7.30-9, Concert.

KFVE, St. Louis, Mo. (270.9m.)—7 p.m., Dinner concert. 8, Programme. 10.30, Hotel Chase Orchestra, popular programme. 11.30, Dance programme, Brunswick Recording Orchestra.

KMA, Shenandoah, Iowa (461.3m.)—9-11 p.m., Vibraphone music, Ruby trio, old time tunes.

KOIL, Council Bluffs, Iowa (306.9m.)—6.03 p.m., Hotel Larsen programme, concert ensemble. 7.30, Feature programme. 9, Shepard Laboratories programme. 10, "Mose and Charley," "The Crosley Twins." 11, Programme.

KPRC, Houston, Tex. (296.9m.)—7.30 p.m., Houstonians Dance Orchestra. 8.30, Feature. 11, Skyline Studios concert.

KSD, St. Louis, Mo. (545.1m.)—6 p.m., WEAF. 6.30, WEAF.

KTHS, Hot Springs National Park, Ark. (374.8m.)—9-10 p.m., Feature programme. 10-10, Lon Chasar, violinist; John Beyn, pianist. 11, Feature.

KVOO, Bristow, Okla. (374.8m.)—6 p.m., Studio programme. 7, Musicale. 8, Music.

KWWG, Brownsville, Tex. (277.6m.)—8.30 p.m., Recital.

WAMD, Minneapolis, Minn. (242.8m.)—6-15 p.m., Organ recital. 10, Sky-rocket frolic.

WBAP, Ft. Worth, Tex. (475.9m.)—7.30-8.30 p.m., Programme. 9.30-10.30, Blue Moon Entertainers. 10.30-11, Lawrence Smith, pianist. 11-12, Musical programme.

WCCO, Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn. (416.4m.)—6.30 p.m., WEAF. 7, Dick Lone's dinner concert. 8, University of Minnesota programme. 9, Musical programme. 11, Dick Lone's Dance Orchestra. 11.45, Organ recital, Leonard Leigh.

KDAF, Kansas City, Mo. (365.6m.)—6-7 p.m., School of the Air. 8-9, WEAF. 9-10, WEAF. 11.45-1, Nighthawk frolic.

WDOD, Chattanooga, Tenn. (256.3m.)—7-8 p.m., Dinner hour.

WFAA, Dallas, Tex. (475.9m.)—6.30-7.30 p.m., Feature programme. 8.30-9.30, Feature.

WFIW, Topkinsville, Ky. (217.3m.)—8-11 p.m., Programme.

WGBF, Evansville, Ind. (236.1m.)—7.40, Gospel songs. 8.30, Old Time requests. 9.30, "The Phantoms" varied orchestra, instrumental numbers.

WHB, Kansas City, Mo. (365.6m.)—7-8 p.m., Safety Club. 10-11, Studio concert.

WHO, Des Moines, Iowa (526m)—7.30-8 p.m., Philbreck's Orchestra. 8-9, Band concert. 11 p.m.-12 midnight, Organ recital.

WOW, Omaha, Neb. (526m)—6.50 p.m., Musical 9, Classical programme.

WRC, Dallas, Tex. (243.8m)—6-7 p.m., Studio Orchestra. 8-9, Feature. 9.30-10.30, Feature. 11 p.m.-12 midnight, Poets' hour.

WSB, Atlanta, Ga. (428.3m)—6.30 p.m., WJZ. 8, Farm programme. 10.45, Artists.

WSM, Nashville, Tenn. (282.8m)—5.30-7 p.m., WEAF.

WSMB, New Orleans, La. (319m)—8.30-10.30 p.m., Sunny South Synropators, theatre orchestra, Billy Broussard, Louis Boyer, popular songsters.

EASTERN STANDARD OR CENTRAL DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME STATIONS

KDKA, Pittsburgh, Pa. (360.1m)—5 p.m., Dinner concert. 6.15, U. of Pittsburgh. 6.30, WJZ. 8, WJZ. 8.50, WJZ.

WAIU, Columbus, Ohio (293.9m)—7.50 p.m., Farm talk. 8, Nature. 8.10, Artists' concert. 9, Programme. 10, Radio production.

WBAL, Baltimore, Md. (246m)—6.30-6 p.m., WJZ. 8-9, Musicale. 9-10, Ensemble. 10-11, Staff concert.

WCSH, Portland, Me. (499.7m)—7-15 p.m., Features. 8, WEAF. 9, WEAF.

WCX, Detroit, Mich. (516.9m)—6 p.m., Dinner concert. 8, Song programme. 8.15, Hymns.

WSAI, Norfolk, Va. (516.9m)—7 p.m., Dinner concert. 8.30, Studio recital. 10, Dance music.

WTAM, Cleveland, Ohio (389.4m)—6 p.m., Masqueraders. 7, Park Theatre musicale. 8, Wurlitzer programme. 8.30-10, WEAF. 10, Novelty programme. 10.30, Emerson Gill and his Bamboo Garden Orchestra. 11.30, Organ recital, Vincent Percy.

WTIC, Hartford, Conn. (475.9m)—6.30 p.m., Monday Marrimakers. 7.30, Theatre. 9, WEAF. 10, Orchestra. 10.30, Organ.

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GERMANS USE MANY SMALL RADIO SETS

Crystal and One-Tube Hook-Up Predominate in Republic

WASHINGTON, May 28.—According to a report filed with the Department of Commerce by C. T. Zawadski, Vice-Consul at Munich, Germany, improvements are rapidly being made in radio apparatus, although crystal and single-tube receiving sets predominate.

The reason for the lack of four and five-tube radio receivers, declares the Department of Commerce report, is because of the few stations in the country. No city has more than one station and the interference problem is not a serious one.

"Considerable progress has been made in Bavaria and elsewhere in Germany in the improvement of radio tubes," states the report. "One manufacturer is reported to have produced a tube which embodies the elements of three ordinary tubes, together with two stages of amplification," according to the consular report.

"The extent of radio development in the State of Bavaria, from which the consular report was sent, is evidenced by the statistics, which show that on January 31, 1927, there were 98,353 subscribed to radio programmes in that state. Of this number 98,179 were subscribers to various entertainment programmes, 118 to commercial services and 516 to press services."

C.N.R. EXTEND RADIO ON TRAINS

Montreal-Boston New Parlor Cars Now Include Broadcast Outfit

Special radio equipment, representing the latest in design, forms one of the features of new parlor cars built especially for the fast day train operated between Montreal and Boston by the Canadian National Railways, and known as The Ambassador. The first of these cars went into commission on the train which left Bonaventure station recently.

The cars are all of steel construction throughout. At each chair is a radio outlet with head phones hung conveniently on the side wall. All outlets terminate flush with the panel and provide for twenty-eight head sets, and one cone type loud speaker, which may be used when desired.

All the radio equipment was designed by engineers of the radio department, Canadian National Railways, and was built in during construction, so that there are no projections. The cabinet holding the receiving apparatus was designed and constructed in conformity with the interior finish, and these various changes allow the more faithful reproduction of the sound range as well as greater volume.

The batteries have been placed under the car and a new type of aerial suspension has been arranged which will allow the cars to meet all clearances in the United States and Canada.

CONFIDENCE

Garden enthusiasts are weird people. They believe that anything will grow and also believe in most nurserymen.

A certain lady wanted some oak trees in her garden, and the local dealers promised to plant them.

Later in the day they sent up a man who planted a number of acorns in the ground and then tendered a large bill.

"Are you sure they'll grow into big, handsome trees?" asked the woman.

"Quite," answered the gardener.

"Then please send me up one of those covered hammocks that you advertise," concluded the woman.

CHICAGO JUMPER ON OLD WAVE LENGTH

American Trespassers on Canadian Radio Airways Transferred to Other Bands

WASHINGTON, May 28.—Most of the broadcasting stations which have been using Canadian waves have been assigned temporary operating permits to use other channels, according to Commissioner J. H. Dillon. Some of the stations in congested areas were given waves which are considered desirable. In the congested areas the stations were either required to divide time or else transfer to the band between 200 and 220 meters.

WJAZ, at Chicago, which started the trouble nine months ago by jumping a Canadian wave in dispute of the authority of the Department of Commerce, is back where it started from. The commission has given the station a temporary permit to use 322-4 meters whenever the wave is not in use by KOA, Denver. That was the position held by WJAZ before it jumped to the Canadian wave.

"What is your car, a five-passenger?"

"Yes, but I can get eight in it if they are well acquainted."—Drexerd.

KEY STATIONS FOR BIG BALLOON RACE

New England Selected for Important Part in National Contest This Week

BOSTON, May 28.—New England again has been given an important part in the radio reports for the National Balloon Race, May 29 and 30. Westinghouse Stations WBZ-WBZA have been named key stations for the northeast in broadcasting special wind and weather reports, and programmes of general interest to the competing balloonists.

The race will commence at Akron, Ohio, tomorrow.

In former years, WBZ-WBZA have co-operated in checking the races, and many of their messages have been intercepted by the drifting balloonists.

The arrangement was completed between F. E. Ensley, chairman of the radio committee of the Balloon Association, and George H. Jasper, director of WBZ-WBZA.

"It is our belief, based on past experience," declared Ensley, "that a few carefully selected key stations are of greater value to the pilots than a large number of stations. For that reason, we are using only a small number of stations, best situated to handle the broadcasting from the standpoint of reliability and efficiency."

Not only have the special meteorological reports been valuable to the balloon racers in former years, but the reception of general programms has helped to pass away the many tedious hours in the air. Every balloon in the race will be equipped with a radio receiving set.

"Remember, my son," said the old parson, "that money is not the end of your existence."

"Of course not," rejoined the young man, "it's only the means."—Winnipeg Tribune.

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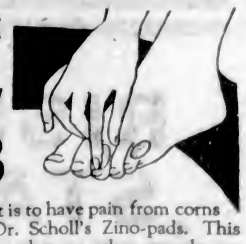

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Plays and Players

"The Notorious Lady" at Capitol All This Week

Lewis Stone, Barbara Bedford and Ann Rork Head Cast in Artistic Production of Love, Intrigue and Adventure—Strong Specialties Bill

A photoplay of love, adventure, intrigue, "The Notorious Lady," with Lewis Stone, Barbara Bedford and Ann Rork, is the feature at the Capitol Theatre, starting tomorrow.

"The Notorious Lady" is a First National picture, directed by King Baggot, and Sam E. Rork, the veteran producer of stage and screen, is responsible for the production.

INTRIGUE AND ADVENTURE

The love interest, the intrigue and adventure are sustained; the photoplay does not lag a moment from the opening scene to the flash "The End," and it affords a genuine entertainment of an hour and fifteen minutes.

Mr. Stone, whose abilities need no press agentry to movie audiences, has an opportunity to show again that he is one of the screen's really finished actors. Barbara Bedford, in the title role, is remembered for her work with Mr. Stone in "Old Loves and New" (The Desert Healer) another Rork production through First National.

ON THE STAGE

The specialties on this week's bill at the Capitol Theatre includes three high class vaudeville turns, Vance and Violette in a "Vaudeville Skit," Krause and Barnes, two boys in dancing shoes offer a dance novelty, and Alma Boscoe the famous English prima donna, will be heard in a delightful repertoire of song selections.

NEW YORK DANCER IN 'PERCH O' DEVIL'

Former "Follies Beauty" Appears in Big Production Showing at Columbia Tomorrow

Another "follies beauty" has cast her lot permanently with the motion pictures in Jane Winton, former New York dancer, who plays an important role in "Perch of the Devil," King Baggot's big Universal production, which comes to the Columbia tomorrow for a three-day run.

Miss Winton left the follies about a year ago, bound for Hollywood, with the firm conviction that she would make a success in pictures, and that she would not return to the musical comedy stage, if it took her the rest of her life.

STARTED UNKNOWN

She started unknown and unheralded in Hollywood, in small roles and "bits," but in a year's time has awakened such interest by her skilled work on the screen that she is being chosen for leading roles and featured parts, and signed a long-term contract with another company, to take effect after her part in "Perch of the Devil" was finished.

She has played important parts in "My Old Dutch," a Universal picture; "The Goose Hangs High," and other productions.

In addition to Miss Winton, the cast Busch, Pat O'Malley, Theodore Von of "Perch of the Devil" includes Mae Eitz, Mario Carillo, Lincoln Steadman, George Kuwa, Martha Franklin, Gertrude Oakman and others.

Preferred His Horse

Sergeant Elwood J. Carrol, Philadelphia, twenty-two years on the police force, was offered promotion to lieutenancy, says The Pathfinder. He would have had to give up the horse he had ridden nine years. "I'd rather be sergeant than give up my horse," were his very words.

AMUSEMENTS

The Screen

Capitol—"The Notorious Lady," with Lewis Stone.

Columbia—Mae Busch and Pat O'Malley, in "The Perch of the Devil."

Dominion — "Knockout Reilly," starring Richard Dix.

Variety—"The Return of Peter Grimm," featuring Lionel Barrymore.

The Stage

Coliseum—Vaudeville.

Playhouse—Vaudeville.

Crystal Garden — Swimming and Dancing.

COSTLY AND LAVISH COMEDY ANNOUNCED

Buster Keaton's Film Classic of the Sixties, Costing $500,000, at Coliseum This Week

Coming this week to the Coliseum Theatre is the costliest and most lavish comedy ever produced, "The General," Buster Keaton's laugh and thrill feature. This great comedy spectacle of the sixties, the comedian's most pretentious effort, cost $500,000 to produce, and places Buster Keaton in the same category with Charlie Chaplin, Douglas Fairbanks and John Barrymore. In fact we consider in this production he is the greatest of them all.

"The General" is unique in filmdom in that it picturizes a true story of the sixties, is historically accurate, contains thrills never duplicated in the biggest dramatic photoplays, and at the same time is a comedy from the opening fade-in to the final fade-out.

THE IMMORTAL RAID

The story deals with the feat of a band of Northerners who stole a train and raided Confederate territory during the early part of the Civil War. They tore up track, destroyed telegraphic communication and would have disrupted the South's military plans had it not been for a young Confederate locomotive engineer who chased them single-handed and finally caused their capture.

This foolhardy lad comes to life on the screen in the person of Buster Keaton. He and his frozen face get laughs out of the most dangerous situations and take part in crucial battles as if they were pink teas.

Thrills crowd laughs for honors in many of the scenes in "The General." One of the three authentic Civil War engines which figure in the comedy is run onto a high burning trestle and plunged into the river below, completely wrecking it.

COLISEUM HONORED

The management of the Coliseum announce that they feel the Coliseum honored in offering to its patrons Buster Keaton's first independent production, a comedy so chock-full of entertainment values, thrills, suspense and hilarious situations that only a Keaton could keep a straight face in watching it.

Vaudeville is again the stage attraction offered by the Coliseum, and comprises five acts which are all reported as being extremely good. Miss Beda Holden, who was been delighting the audiences for the past week, has been held over for another week on account of her popularity. The usual good music and courteous service will keep up the good name of the theatre.

"PETER GRIMM" ON VARIETY SCREEN

Belasco's Famous Play Interpreted by Alec Francis, Film Star, Featured at Local Cinema

Alec B. Francis entertained no illusions when he assumed the name role in "The Return of Peter Grimm," Fox Films version of David Belasco's internationally-known stage play, which will be shown on the Variety screen this week. Janet Gaynor and Richard Walling have the leading romantic roles.

"I was quite conscious of the fact that there is but one David Warfield," said Mr. Francis, discussing the part with Director Victor Schertzinger, "and I had no intention of trying to duplicate the performance of the man who made this and other Belasco roles stand out above everything else in the theatrical world.

A GREAT ACTOR

"I knew that it would be foolish to follow the David Warfield interpretation. I consider Dave one of the greatest actors the legitimate stage has produced. His artistry is peculiarly his own. That is why he is great. It would be suicidal for any actor to strive to parallel his performance.

"Then, too, I consider myself fortunate, in that I have never seen Mr. Warfield in the role of Peter Grimm. Hence, I was not handicapped by his portrayal. I felt that I wanted to interpret the character in my own way, thus being true to my basic instincts, and giving a better performance than if I tried to work along lines prescribed by others."

PRISONERS IN BURMA LEADING FREE LIVES

RANGOON.—Placing convicts on their honor, allowing them to live practically free lives, is the Burmese Government's idea of criminal reclamation. The project is meeting with remarkable success.

About three thousand convicts are being tried out and are engaged in road making and other public works near the Chinese frontier. They are being paid full wages on piecework and live in their own huts. They are also allowed to wear civilian clothing chosen by themselves.

So far very few of these parole convicts have failed to keep their word, and the authorities are watching with interest the experiment of reaching the dual goal of improved communications in Burma and the reformation of its criminals.

FIVE-ACT 'VODE' ON BILL AT PLAYHOUSE

Murray People Present Unusually Fine Offerings for Closing Week—"The Old Soak" on Screen

Earle Murray presents for his farewell week a five-act vaudeville bill. He will act as Master of Ceremonies throughout the show. The bill will be headed by the sketch "Green Eyes." Peggy Lewis will be heard in a songalogue, and will also appear in several sketches. Jimmy Howard is presenting his whistling act. Harold Bechtel will be seen in several comedy bits and in the sketch. The Great Dextrus will present his hand shadowgraphic act, and as an added attraction, for the first time in Victoria, a great mind-reading act. Do not fail to see this final presentation by the Murray Players. Full of fun and frivolity for fastidious fun seekers.

ON THE SCREEN

Lovable little mother of the whole cast was the tribute paid Lucy Beaumont by the company making "The Old Soak," which is on the screen tomorrow, with Jean Hersholt in the starring role. Miss Beaumont played Jean Hersholt's wife in the picture. She has been on the stage for thirty years, and has appeared in some of the most notable New York productions. Some of her long engagements were with David Belasco, fifty-three weeks; John Ferguson, thirty-seven weeks; Sam Harris, eleven weeks; "The Champion," thirty-eight weeks; "Chu Chin Chow," 100 weeks, and Erlanger, "My Ladies Dress," sixteen weeks.

When she was a little girl Miss Beaumont wanted to go on the stage, but her parents refused. She ended the controversy by marrying an actor and thus got her heart's desire. The two played in England for many years.

When the war struck the world, Capt. Douglas Vigors, Miss Beaumont's husband, went to the front and never returned. Miss Beaumont came to America on the last trip of the Lusitania and has since been playing on the American stage except for a short trip back to England.

ESSAY ON A MOTO RCAR

A schoolgirl was required to write an essay of two hundred and twenty words about a motor car. She submitted the following:

"My uncle bought a motor car. He was riding in the country when it broke down going uphill. I think this is about twenty words. The other two hundred are what my uncle said when he was walking back to town, but I don't remember what they were.

Clever Troupe of Juvenile Singers at Royal on June 4

Hamilton Douglas presents, at the Royal Victoria Theatre next Saturday afternoon and evening, June 4, a troupe of the cleverest juvenile singers, dancers, comedians, of Canada and the United States. There are one hundred and fifty in the troupe, and they carry their own orchestra.

The troupe does an after piece which consists of everyone in the show taking a part in a circus. This will be staged after the matinee. The doll army will make a parade preceding the matinee.

"My florist certainly boosts his slogan, 'Say it with flowers.'"

"How do you mean?"

"He sends a bunch of forget-me-nots with his bill."

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Dix's Most Engrossing Film Visits Dominion

Versatile Athlete Runs Gamut of Emotions in Star Role of "Knockout Reilly" on Local Screen . . All This Week

Starred in a fast moving film of a young steel puddler whose ability with his fists wins him fistic fame, and the girl of his dreams, Richard Dix arrives at the Dominion Theatre tomorrow.

"Knockout Reilly," is the name of his latest Paramount screen effort, and it is reputed by those in the know, to be the most engrossing Dix offering ever. Reports from the large centres indicate an enthusiastic reception of the picture, and critics are putting it on a par with the "Quarterback," his famous football film.

As Dundee Reilly, Dix works in a steel mill and on Saturday night goes out in search of a little recreation and romance. Although professing utter disregard of all girls, he is immensely flattered when he receives a message purporting to be from Mary Malone (Mary Brian), pretty entertainer in a cabaret that he and his friends frequent. The message invites him backstage to meet her, and not knowing that this is a little joke of his friends, he leaves his table and goes to her dressing-room. He finds there Killer Agerra (Jack Renault), champion pugilist, making advances to Mary, and without knowing who he is knocks him out. Later Agerra reciprocates by decoying Reilly to his gymnasium and beating him up. Reilly looking for revenge puts himself in the hands of Pat Malone, Mary's brother, himself a former pugilist, for training and rapidly rises to gladiatorial eminence. Complications set in and Reilly on the eve of a championship fight with Agerra finds himself railroaded to prison for two years for felonious assault. How he manages to keep in condition notwithstanding his confinement, and how on his release he clears his name, and wins the girls and the championship, are unfolded in a series of dramatic scenes in which the light humorous touch of Director Malcolm St. Clair is always evident.

U. C. T.

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ANGLER TOWED BY ANGRY STURGEON

St. Lambert, Quebec Merchant Finally Lands Fish Weighing Seventy-Six Pounds

MONTREAL, May 28.—A seventy-six-pound sturgeon, one of the largest ever caught off the South Shore, succumbed to the wiles of Jules Brossard, a St. Lambert shoe merchant, recently. Mr. Brossard accomplished the feat while in a rowboat in the company of Lambert David, small son of the St. Lambert's police chief. The waters of the St. Lawrence near Laprairie saw the demise of Mr. Sturgeon.

Armed with a light rod, his hook baited with a couple of overfed worms, Mr. Brossard set out for a few minutes' sport shortly before dark. Near shore, on his first cast, he felt a terrible tug on his line. He first thought the line was fouled on a snag, but when the boat began moving upstream, he realized he was in a fair way of landing something far out of the ordinary.

Playing the fish with the skill that comes with long practice, Mr. Brossard, after a thirty-minute fight, during which the boat was pulled nearly half a mile, succeeded in drowning the sturgeon. Then he and young David towed the catch to shore, and took it to St. Lambert, where it was displayed to other well-known anglers of the town.

The sturgeon measured five feet six inches. It is reported to be the largest fish ever landed in this vicinity.

Treasure Worth $230,000 Missing From Cathedral

MEXICO CITY, May 28.—Government officials announce that among the treasures missing from the Mexico City Roman Catholic Cathedral is a jeweled gold and silver centrepiece of a casket for the consecrated Host. The centrepiece, it was unofficially estimated, was valued at more than 50,000 pesos (about $230,000).

The Cathedral has been closed ever since the religious regulations became effective last August for the purpose of a government inventory of its contents. This inventory is still being made. Shortly after the closing of the Cathedral, Mexican officials said that a number of church valuables had been taken out and presumably hidden in the homes of devout Roman Catholics to prevent their coming into the hands of the government.

ALEC G. FRANCIS AND JANET GAYNOR
In "The Return of Peter Grim," the Feature Picture at the Variety Theatre This Week.

AUTO DRIVING RULES HAVE BEEN REVISED

New Regulations Governing Operation of Motors Have Been Approved by Government

Consolidation of the regulations governing the use of motor vehicles has been brought into effect. It is now compulsory for all cars operating under a right hand drive which may be registered in future to be provided with automatic signals. This rule will not apply to cars of right hand drive that are now in use.

A spotlight on the front axle is permissible under the new regulations. This must be focused to the right of the road and must be so adjusted that the rays reach the ground within 100 yards of the car.

Licensees must in future sign the licence forms that are carried on the car.

If an officer requires it a driver must allow the lights of his car to be tested to make sure that they are focused properly in the same way. An officer may require a driver to have his brakes tested to make sure that they are in good working order.

Use of sirens is limited to vehicles operated by police departments, fire departments and to ambulances.

TOO MUCH

Guide: "This is the famous place of the twenty-four echoes, and last year a gentleman who heard them suddenly went mad."

Tourist: "How did it happen?"

Guide: "His mother-in-law called to him, and when he heard twenty-four mothers-in-law at the same time it was too much for him."

Montreal Archives Recall Vivid Chapters of History

TORONTO, Ont., May 28.—When Hart House Theatre, Canada's premier community playhouse, which has its being in Toronto, closes its doors for the Summer at the end of this month, it will conclude its most successful season, both artistically and financially, according to Mr. Walter Sinclair, its director. Eleven plays, three of them the work of Canadian playwrights, the rest, productions with established reputations either on the professional or the amateur stage, were presented.

The fame of Hart House Theatre as a laboratory of dramatic art, where experts in stage production conduct experimental research with the most modern stage equipment at their finger tips, has spread, during its eight seasons, far beyond the boundaries of the Dominion. It is the parent of the Little Theatre Movement now gaining strength in many Canadian cities; and, so interesting have been its ventures, that the eyes of all advocates of the amateur stage throughout the English-speaking world are following its development.

"Our players are drawn from the community at large," stated Mr. Sinclair, in reviewing the season's work, "and during the past eight years nearly five hundred amateurs have taken part in our productions. Over a score of these are now continuing the careers commenced at Hart House on the professional stage.

"Among the players whose work drew particular praise from the critics this season, Ivor Lewis, A. J. Rostance and Frances Rostance were outstanding. Many other amateurs displayed astonishing art and technical skill, strengthening the proof that the amateur theatre has a distinct future before it in this country."

Writing on the importance of the amateur theatre in Canada's cultural development in a recent issue of The Canadian Forum, Fred Jacob found his strongest argument for noncommercial production in the excellence of "T'Marsden's," a genre comedy of Yorkshire life presented at Hart House last January. This play, whose author, James R. Gregson, has consistently devoted his art to the amateur theatre, both as director and playwright, was one of the most notable successes of 1926-'27.

"At Mrs. Beam's," another well-known English comedy, proved very popular, while Thackeray's Christmas pantomime, "The Rose and the Ring," revived at the festive season, was so enthusiastically received that Mr. Sinclair promises a third revival for next Christmas. "Twelfth Night," presented last month, will be revived as the closing offering of the season in response to an eager demand.

The range and ambition of the Hart House workers and the excellence of the human material at their disposal, are further testified to by the successful production during the Winter of such plays as Bernard Shaw's "Heartbreak House" and "The Man of Destiny," and St. John Ervine's "John Ferguson."

The Canadian bill for this season is composed of three plays by well-known Canadian writers. "Come True" is by Mazo de la Roche, who has recently carried away so many literary honors. Duncan Campbell Scott is the author of "Joy! Joy! Joy!" a highly dramatic study of terror; while "The Last Cache" is by Isobel Ecclestone Mackay, of Vancouver.

Wrens and Robins

The robins and wrens, the bluebirds and nuthatches, like all birds are not really timid, according to "Nature Magazine." They will accustom themselves to anything as soon as they know no harm will come to them.

The professor's wife had tied a string around her absent-minded husband's finger to remind him to get his hair cut. On his way home to dinner he noticed it. "Ah, yes," he murmured, "I remember," and entering the shop he sat down before his favorite barber.

"Er—yes, sir," said that artist, puzzled inquiry in his tone.

"Eh? Oh, yes, cut my hair, please," commanded the absent-minded one.

"Why, certainly, sir, if you wish it," said the barber. "But you won't mind my mentioning the fact that I cut it this noon, will you?"

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We are making a special price of admission as an inducement to the kiddies all this week. Every child accompanied by its parents will be admitted for 5c, as we feel every child should have an opportunity of seeing this wonderful production.

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BUSTER KEATON in "The General"

UNITED ARTISTS PICTURE

Little Frozenface—"High Pressure"

Music of the Eskimos

By BEATRIX F. CAMERON

Being a Paper Read by Her Recently Before the Authors' Club of Victoria, of Which She Is an Adherent

A few weeks ago I did not know that such a thing as Eskimo music existed. After going into the subject as thoroughly as I could in a short time, I am not prepared to say yet that music as rendered by the Eskimos would be considered music by the rest of the world. From the beginning of time, however, man has expressed himself in some kind of fashion in musical terms, and why not the Eskimo? It is rather a coincidence that during this season, when Cadman gave us such a splendid exposition of the native music of the North American Indians, we should have heard of the love of music held by the Indians on this coast, and then about the advances made in this art in the last few years by the Eskimos.

Some of you will no doubt wonder what connection there can be between the work of authors and the work dealing with the musical accomplishments of a widely scattered, primitive race of people like the Eskimos. Well, there is a close relationship between literature and music. After all, the real—the only literature, in fact, of a primitive people is often to be found only in its folk songs handed down from generation to generation; and we know that many a poem—or prose work, too, for that matter—has far more real melody than many pieces of so-called music. And in music we have the "symphonic poem," the "tone poem"—works which seek to express in music what a poet would give to the world in words. Could there be a finer example of music than the Twenty-third "Shepherd Psalm"? So that in giving a brief review of the music of the Eskimos, I hope you will be interested in thinking of it as the literature of these people.

The saying, "A little learning is a dangerous thing," is not, I hope, twice as applicable when it is applied to the two subjects I have brought into this little paper, because my knowledge of either music or literature is not as extensive as it perhaps should be. And yet it may awaken in someone else, as it has in me, a desire to learn more about the Eskimos themselves, and who shall say that anything we learn is wasted?

In the year 1849, John McClean, writing from the Hudson's Bay Territory, says in part: The Eskimo passes his dreary Winter without careful and anxious thought; he eats his fill and lies down to sleep, and then rises to eat again. He speaks of their dancing as not dancing at all, but merely jerking, bending motions utterly devoid of any grace. And as to the music to which the dancing is performed, he says he hardly knows how to describe it; and that the whole performance is in keeping—the music worthy of the dancing, the dancing worthy of the music. Dr. G. Hartwig, in 1859, writes of the Eskimos as being a cheerful people and fond of music, both vocal and instrumental, but that their singing was not much better than a howl.

PEARY'S IMPRESSIONS

Robert E. Peary, writing in 1909, says: "There are no chiefs among these people; but there are some medicine men who have some influence. Monotonous incantations take the place of the white man's drugs. The performance of a medicine man is quite impressive—the chanting or howling is accompanied by contortions of the body, and sounds from a rude tambourine made from the throat membrane of a walrus stretched on a bow of ivory or bone. The tapping of this rim with another piece of ivory or bone marks the time. This is the Eskimo's only attempt at music. This—as late as 1909!

Now, what happened in the years intervening between 1909 and 1918 I do not know; but in November of last year a report of the Canadian Arctic Expedition in 1913 to 1918 was issued, and it contained 506 pages descriptive of the songs of the Copper Eskimos. Mr. Jenness, who with Miss Helen H. Roberts was the author of this work, writes: "I am forwarding you, under another cover, a copy of 'Songs of the Copper Eskimos,' by Miss Helen H. Roberts and myself. Some of these songs, I may add, are being sung in New York by a professional singer, Miss Juliette Gaulthier, with marked success. She has a trained voice, of course, and is able to interpret the music as it should be interpreted, whereas Eskimo singers are wholly untrained. But clearly the melodies possess great beauty. One of our ethnologists, Mr. C. M. Barbeau, gave a series of five lectures at the University of British Columbia on the Indians of Canada, with special reference to the West Coast, and one of his lectures dealt with Indian literature and music.

In this connection there is rather an interesting fact in the report of an archdeacon who has his headquarters in Prince Rupert, given to a friend of mine who is greatly interested in mission work. In this particular diocese there are nine Indian reservations. In every one of these reservations there is a very good church, and if the natives have little else they are bound to have a good organ, and they have really good choirs. A short time ago one of the reservations purchased a splendid set of band instruments which cost them over $3,000. The archdeacon went on to say that music was so refining and so elevating in its influence that it made him more reconciled to the lack of interest shown by these same Indians in suporting the mission fund of the diocese.

COPPER ESKIMOS' SONGS

Going back to the songs of the Copper Eskimos, we find that all the songs discussed in the 1913-1918 report were recorded on a phonograph either by Bernard Harbor, in Dolphin and Union Strait, or at Eskimo settlements in the immediate vicinity. The great majority of the records were made within the station house, since the low temperature of the Eskimo snow huts hardened the wax and marred the impression of the needle. The Copper Eskimos had not seen a phonograph prior to this time; there were still a few natives who had not seen a white man. They thought a spirit was reproducing their voices. Songs were recorded from individuals of every age and sex, from little children to old men and women. The work of transiating and transcribing the songs was long and difficult, and very few of the natives showed the necessary patience. So the records were played in sections to one or more, usually two, Eskimos and translated into English through an interpreter.

The most striking feature in the collection of songs is in the wealth of dance-songs and the dearth of every other variety of song, with the exception of incantations to produce fine weather. This is a true indication, however, of the nature of Copper Eskimo music. The dancehouse is the centre of social life, and there is no outdoor singing, as the Eskimos believe there is an evil spirit to carry away their words and thus rob them of the breath of life. Hence there are no game songs in this region, no chants for the trail of the caribou hunt. There are no work-songs, though these are fairly common in other regions. In Northern Alaska there is a chant for "hide and seek"—a gambling game, a chant to the aurora, and many others. In the Hudson Bay country a chant for "cup and ball." Chants accompanying string figures are quite common to the westward, but are not found in the Copper Eskimo area.

THE DAILY PAPER

With the Copper Eskimo the dance-songs take the place of a daily newspaper. Every notable incident, every important experience is recorded in these songs. When the Eskimo returns from a long hunting trip and rejoins the rest of his band he weaves the story of his travels and adventures into a song and teaches it to the rest of his fellow countrymen in the dancehouse.

The dance-song seems to be the only medium of expression used by these people in expressing their emotions, whether it is a woman singing to her baby, or used to relieve the tedium of the long hours of a Winter night. There are but two forms of dance-songs, pisiks and atons; but Mr. Jenness in the introduction to his book says that no difference can be determined between them in their present form. While the actual classification of the records was made by Copper Eskimo assistants with Mr. Jenness, they themselves did not know how to classify certain songs.

Most Copper Eskimo dances take place on Winter evenings, although they are sometimes held in the daytime during stormy weather, or on the occasion of a visit from the people of another community. Men, women and children gather informally, someone takes out the drum—there is always a large drum in every large settlement—and the people arrange themselves in a circle, with the one who is leading in the centre; for only one person dances at a time in this region. In the pisik form of dance—and this is frequently used throughout a whole evening—the performer wields the drum himself, the rest of the people accompanying him in the singing. In the aton dance the drum is not used at all, or is wielded by one of the singers in the circle.

The most interesting songs of these people not only illustrate the types composed, but are examples of native thought. The intense love of the people for social gatherings is shown in the number of dance songs, and the songs have, to quote Miss Roberts, "melodic beauty." On the other hand, the words themselves are of secondary importance, which makes their interpretation very difficult. The themes illustrate Eskimo life; hunting, traveling and incantations for good weather are well represented, whereas war and love appear unknown. I showed the book written by Dr. Jenness and Miss Roberts to Mr. Cadman, who did not have time to do more than look over the introduction, but he was very much interested and asked to have a copy sent to him. As with the music of the North American Indians, which Cadman has done so much to preserve, the themes of the Eskimo songs need to be harmonized by someone who is sufficiently interested to make them attractive without losing the original tunes. In their present form they are not "singable," at least to the ordinary listener.

UNLIKE OTHER PRIMITIVES

The Eskimo music differs from the music of other primitive groups on this continent, such as the tribes of American Indians, whose music is much better known. The Indians have so many more types of songs than the Eskimos, but they are, as a rule, shorter. The Eskimos have no ceremonial songs to correspond with the Creation Ritual of the Pawnee, or with medicine societies like the Onondaga medicine songs; or with war, like some of the inspiring songs of the Iroquois. The most remarkable thing about the whole matter is that a people living in such a barren land, where there is no warmth, no vegetation, should have any kind of music. It makes us realize that music is, after all, the "art universal," and I hope that some day a Cadman may take these songs of a people who live for a considerable part of the time in darkness and make them a part of the history of Canada.

Miss Gaulthier, who has given a recital of the Copper Eskimo songs, and who is one of the best known French-Canadian singers, has learned the Eskimo language to enable her to sing the Eskimo songs, and has learned also several Indian dialects to sing the songs of the Nootka, Carrier and Kootenay Indians.

JEAN HERSHOLT
In "The Old Soak," Showing This Week at the Playhouse Theatre.

Health and Diet Advice

By DR. FRANK McCOY

NAPOLEON'S CONTRIBUTION TO DIET

It is said that "Little Corporal," suffering from cancer, died a few hours after eating a meal composed mostly of fried onions.

He was subject to violent epileptic attacks and had one of these spells the night before the battle of Waterloo. Although he was apparently careless in his own food habits, he realized that his soldiers must have the proper kind of nourishment.

It was Napoleon who said that "an army travels on its stomach." He found that the dried meats and cereals were not sufficient to maintain the health of his soldiers. Scurvy and other diseases continually attacked his soldiers and, believing that an adequate supply of fresh vegetables was necessary, he offered a reward of 12,000 francs for anyone who would discover a method of preserving food for his armies far removed from a home supply of fresh articles.

Scientists began to experiment immediately and finally Nicholas Appert perfected a process of canning fresh vegetables by sealing them in bottles and then heating them for varying periods of time, depending on the article of food. His discovery was tested thoroughly and he was given the award. Appert used the 12,000 francs to build the first canning factory in France in the year 1810. This factory is still in existence and is operated by his descendants.

The tin can did not come into use until sometime later. They were developed in England and were made of some kind of metal covered with a thin coating of tin. At first they were called "canisters," but workmen soon shortened this word to "can," and we have been using this word ever since.

So you see we owe the idea of canning foods to Napoleon. It was, therefore, a health measure, and has contributed a great deal to our being able to have an adequate supply of greens during the Winter months.

Freshly cooked vegetables, no doubt, have a more pleasing taste but, at the present time canned foods fill a want which has contributed much towards healthful living.

Correspondents are continually writing me asking if canned foods are wholesome. My answer is always a decided yes—with a special recommendation for the use of such canned vegetables as spinach, string beans and asparagus.

The vicar had employed a man to do some painting in the church, and found him plying his brush briskly to the whistled air of a popular song.

"A somewhat—er—secular melody," said the vicar hesitatingly. "Could you not whistle something—er—slightly more appropriate?"

Two hours later he returned to find the painter whistling the "Old Hundreth," his brush moving slowly in unison.

"Dear me," the vicar said, thoughtfully, after watching a minute or two; "perhaps, after all, you might whistle that other tune again."

WINDSOR WON'T BE BEER GARDEN

Official in Charge of Liquor Permits Says Only Bona Fide Tourists Are Eligible

WINDSOR, Ont., May 28.—Windsor and other border cities practically have completed arrangements for the opening of the Government liquor stores, which is expected to bring with it an influx of American tourists.

A dispatch today from D. B. Hanna, of Toronto, chairman of the Ontario Liquor Control Board, said June 1 had been set for the opening date. Sale of permits to American tourists will begin on the date the stores are opened.

Previous statements that Americans could not make a "beer garden" of Windsor and surrounding towns were reiterated by Archie Gray, in charge of the issuance of permits, who pointed out that tourists must prove they are bona fide, while those who go to Ontario for the day only will be refused both permits and liquor.

Americans who own summer cottages in the province must secure tourists' permits, good for thirty days, and it will be necessary to renew the permits every month, advices from Government officials at Toronto said.

Two stores will be in operation here. Both will be open eight hours a day, with the exception of Saturday, when a half-holiday will prevail.

"We thought," Gray explained today, "that the stores would be open on Saturday nights, but at present this does not seem probable. Later, I suppose, if the Government finds it necessary to combat bootleggers, the stores probably will be kept open until 9 or 10 o'clock on Saturday nights."

CANADIANS CHARGED WITH IGNORANCE OF THEIR OWN HISTORY

TORONTO, May 28.—Several distinguished men were speakers at the annual dinner of the Canadian Historical Association held in Hart House last night. They were: Mr. Justice Riddell, Sir Joseph Flavelle, Right Rev. Archbishop McNeil, Hon. Newton Rowell, Senator N. A. Belcourt and L. J. Burpee, of Ottawa, Prof. Chester Martin of the University of Manitoba, Prof. W. T. Waugh of McGill University, Prof. Duncan Cunliffe, from New Zealand, and Prof. Hall, from Australia. Professor Wrong, of the University of Toronto, presided.

The theme of all the oratory of the evening was that of Canada, its history, its development, its future.

Professors Cunliffe and Hall, speaking of Canada from the point of view of the visitor, felt that she was destined to play an increasingly important role in international affairs.

Speakers regretted that while Canada has a fascinating history, Canadians do not value or know that history as they should. Senator Belcourt thought that in matters historical Canadians should rediscover Canada.

Dr. A. J. Doughty, Dominion archivist, Ottawa, was elected president of the association, and Prof. Chester Martin, Winnipeg, vice-president.

The executive includes: A. S. Morton, Saskatoon; A. L. Burt, Edmonton, and W. L. Sage, Vancouver.

Dead Prospector Was Soldier of Fortune

NELSON, May 28.—Edwin B. States, the aged prospector who was found dead in a cabin in the hills above Eric on Tuesday, is revealed as a soldier of fortune. He roamed South America in search of the treasure of the Incas. While not finding that, he garnered a fortune through mining ventures in Peru, Ecuador and Central America.

Malaria forced him out of the tropics and insurrections then swept away most of his invested fortune there. The remnant of it he invested in Florida real estate and the income from that financed his mining ventures in this district, to which he came in 1910. He owned a number of prospects in the Salmon Valley.

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GRAHAM MacNAME, nationally known radio announcer of Station WEAF, who broadcasted the Dempsey-Tunney fight, is at the ringside microphone.

JOE HUMPHRIES, whose foghorn voice has announced all the big championship fights for the last twenty years, is the ring announcer to the Dix-Renault bout.

PATSY HALEY, former bantamweight and now a leading New York referee, is the "third man in the ring."

JIMMY DeFORREST, who has trained Jack Dempsey and other famous fighters, is one of Dix's seconds.

KID McPARTLAND, former lightweight and now a referee, is the timekeeper.

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2 DEATHS

BLYTH—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on May 28, 1927, the death occurred of Mrs. Elsie Blyth, beloved wife of Alexander P. Blyth, of 2930 Qu'Appelle Street, Saanich, aged sixty-seven years, born in Turriff, Scotland, and had resided in this city for the past thirty-three years. She leaves to mourn her loss, besides her husband, three sons, Merrill Blyth, in Los Angeles, California, A. A. Blyth, in Victoria, and Irvine Blyth, in Los Angeles, California.

The remains are reposing at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, from where the funeral will take place on Monday morning, at 10.30. The remains will be laid to rest at Ross Bay Cemetery.

LANGDALE—On May 27, 1927, there passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital, Mrs. Maria Lansdale, widow of the late Alfred Lansdale, aged eighty-nine years; born in London, England. The deceased was a resident of the Aged Ladies' Home for some years.

The remains are reposing at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, from where service will be held on Monday afternoon, at 3.30. Rev. A. deB. Owen will conduct the service. The remains will later be forwarded to Vancouver for cremation.

KING—On May 28, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Mrs. Annie Elizabeth King, beloved wife of Mr. Charles E. King, aged sixty; born in Hereford, England, and a resident of this city for the past thirty years.

The funeral will take place on Monday, May 30, at 2 o'clock, from the Sands Funeral Chapel, and the remains will be laid to rest at the Royal Oak Burial Park.

BERTUCCI—In this city on Wednesday, May 25, Catherine Bertucci, of 1155 Mason Street, relict of the late Nicholas Bertucci.

The funeral will take place on Monday morning from McCall Brothers' Funeral Home and proceed to St. Andrew's Cathedral, where Mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

WILLARD—In Esquimalt on Thursday, May 26, William Wesley Willard, formerly of Cumberland, B.C.

The funeral will take place on Monday afternoon from McCall Brothers' Funeral Home, at 2.30 o'clock. Rev. James Hood will conduct the service, after which interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

MYERS—In this city on Friday, May 27, at the family residence, 1413 Pembroke Street, Mary Ann Myers, aged seventy-three years, beloved wife of Thomas Myers.

The remains are resting at McCall Brothers' Funeral Home, the funeral taking place on Monday afternoon from St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, at 3.30 o'clock. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

5 IN MEMORIAM

KERR—In loving memory of James Kerr, late 1117 Princess Avenue, who passed away May 30th, 1926.

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Christ Church Cathedral. Holy Communion, 8 a.m. Matins and sermon, 11 a.m.; preacher, Ven. F. C. C. Heathcote. Evensong and sermon, 7.30 p.m.; preacher, Ven. F. C. C. Heathcote. Sunday school, 9.45 and 11 a.m., Memorial Hall.

St. John's, Quadra Street, corner of Mason. 8 a.m., Holy Communion. 10 a.m., Sunday school. 11 a.m., Morning Prayer; preacher, Rev. Canon Vernon. 7.30 p.m., Evensong; preacher, the Rector. Organ recital, 7:10-7.30 by Mr. G. J. Burnett. Rector, Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick, M.A.

St. Mary's Church, Elgin Road, Oak Bay. Holy Communion, 8 a.m. Matins and sermon, 11.00. Evensong and sermon, 7.30; preacher, Rev. Canon Vernon. Sunday school, 9.45 and 11 a.m. Rector, Rev. A. E. deL. Nunns.

St. Barnabas' Church, Cook and Caledonia. Car No. 3. Sunday after Ascension Day. Holy Eucharist, 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. (sung). Festal Evensong, 7.30 p.m. Special preacher at Evensong, Rev. J. Williams, from the Diocese of Honan, China.

St. Mark's, Cloverdale. Rev. H. V. Hitchcox, rector. Services, 8 a.m., 11 a.m., 7 p.m. Sermon subjects, "Modern Ideas on the Ascension of Christ into Heaven."

St. Martin's-in-the-Fields, Gorge. Sunday school, 10 a.m. Children's service, with address by Mr. W. E. R. Barclay, 10.30 a.m. Evensong, sermon, 7 p.m.

St. Alban's, Oaklands. Holy Communion, 8 a.m. Sunday school, 9.30 a.m. Matins, 11 a.m. Evensong, 7 p.m. Preacher, Rev. J. W. Leighton.

BAPTIST

Emmanuel Baptist Church. Rev. Henry Knox, pastor. Services today. Sunday school, 9.45 a.m. Worship, 11 a.m. Special musical service at 7.30 p.m. Soloists, W. Maurice Thomas and Mr. Robert Frith. Everybody come.

Douglas Street Baptist Church. 11 a.m., Rev. F. T. Tapscott. 7.30 p.m., the pastor, Rev. W. T. Tapscott. Sunday school at 9.45 a.m.

CHRISTADELPHIAN

Christadelphian, 1105 Wharf Street. Today, at 11 a.m. Public lecture, 7:30 p.m., subject, "World Events in Prophecy." Everybody welcome. No collection.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Chambers and Pandora. Services, 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Subject for today, "Ancient and Modern Necromancy, Alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism, Denounced." Testimonial meeting Wednesday, 8 p.m. Reading room and lending library, 812 Sayward Building, daily, except Sunday, 10 to 9. Wednesday, 10 to 7. Visitors are welcome to the services and to the reading rooms.

Second Church of Christ, Scientist, 720 Courtney Street. Services, Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Testimonial meeting Wednesday, 8 p.m. Subject for today, "Ancient and Modern Necromancy, Alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism, Denounced." Sunday school, 9.50; primary, 11 a.m. All welcome to the services. Reading room and lending library, 725 Courtney Street, 12 to 5, except Sundays.

NEW THOUGHT

New Thought Temple, 935 Pandora Avenue. Dr. A. F. Barton will speak at both services. 11 a.m., "'New Thought' the Pathway of Victory." 7:30 p.m., "Your Glorious Heritage." Sunday school meets at 11 a.m. (upstairs). Wednesday, at 3 p.m., subject, "What's in a Name? A Lesson in Numerology" (by request). All are welcome. Freewill offering.

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Oaklands Gospel Hall, Hillside car terminus. 11 a.m., worship. 3 p.m., school. 7 p.m., Gospel service. All are welcome.

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PRESBYTERIAN

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. Rev. W. Leslie Clay, D.D., minister. Sabbath school, 9.45 a.m. Morning service, 11.00. Preacher, Rev. Charles Thompson, of Vancouver, who will conduct the services in the absence of the Rev. Dr. Clay. Solo, "I Come to Thee" (Caro Roma), Miss Laura White. Anthem, "Love Divine" (Marks), solo, Miss Jeanne Black. Evening service, 7:30. Preacher, Rev. Charles Thompson. Solo, "A Dream of Paradise" (Gray), Mr. Douglas S. Parks. Anthem, "The Radiant Morn Has Passed Away" (Woodward). A very hearty and cordial invitation is extended to all to come and join in these services. Sacred recital, Tuesday evening, 8.15, by the choir.

REFORMED EPISCOPAL

Church of Our Lord, Reformed Episcopal, Humboldt and Blanshard. Rector, Rev. A. deB. Owen. Services, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

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Rosicrucian Cosmo Conception study class every Friday evening at 8 o'clock. 816 Central Building. Everybody welcome.

SPIRITUALIST

First Spiritualist Church, Harmony Hall, 724 Fort Street. Service, 7.30 p.m., speaker, Mrs. Minnie Perkins, subject, "The Battle of Life." Messages. Circle, Monday and Thursday, 8 p.m.

The Progressive Spiritual Mission, 1414 Douglas Street. Speaker, Mr. C. Endicott. Messages at close. Message meeting Friday, 8 p.m. Mrs. M. L. Smith.

THEOSOPHY

Victoria Independent Theosophical Society, 101 Union Building. Today, 8 p.m., lecture by Mr. W. B. Pease on "Isis Unveiled." All welcome.

UNITARIAN

First Unitarian Church, corner of Fernwood and Balmoral Roads. 7.30 p.m., "Aspects of Modern Religious Cults: (3) Mind Healing." Preacher, Rev. Ada Tonkin. Open discussion.

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

First United Church, corner Quadra and Balmoral Streets. 11 a.m., anthem. Hymn 186. 7.30 p.m., anthem. Hymn 417. Rev. J. C. Goodfellow will preach at both services.

Centennial United Church, Gorge Road. 11 a.m., "Things Forbidden." An Ascension service. 7.30 p.m., "Breaking Away, or, Where Do We Go From Here?" A fine musical programme.

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10 COMING EVENTS

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10 COMING EVENTS (Continued)

"JUST FOR FUN," PLAYED BY MEMBERS of St. Barnabas' A.Y.P.A., Monday, May 30, at 8.30 p.m., in Church Hall (corner Cook and Caledonia). Admission by ticket only.

K. & D.O.T.T.—ALL DAMES REQUESTED to meet at K. of P. Hall, Monday, 8 p.m. Business important.

MONDAY, MAY 30 — EAGLES' WHIST drive, Eagles' Hall, Pandora and Douglas Streets, 8.30 p.m. Good prizes. Admission 25 cents.

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A COMPETENT ENGLISHWOMAN, WITH extensive Canadian experience, desires position as manageress of a rooming house. Address 7431, Colonist.

BY RELIABLE WOMAN, POSITION AS housekeeper; small salary. Business preferred. Box 7721 Colonist.

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38 TO RENT—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR RENT—WOOD-CUTTING MACHINE. 1423 Broad Street. Phone 3040.

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Men's blue serge suits, sizes 40 and 30, $10.00 and ... $12.00
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1055 Yates St., 6 rooms ... 30.00
1513 Hampshire Rd., 7 rooms ... 30.00
1140 Burdett Ave., 7 rooms ... 30.00
2400 Dalhousie St., 6 rooms ... 30.00
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2614 Quadra St., 6 rooms ... 16.00
2579 Prior St., 6 rooms ... 22.50
2627 Rose St., 7 rooms ... 20.00
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PATRICIA BAY
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78 HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

$1800

OAKLAND DISTRICT—MODERN BUNGALOW, IN FIRST-CLASS CONDITION; PRETTY GARDEN, GARAGE. A nice little home, well built and just repainted; bright living-room, 2 bedrooms, 3-piece bathroom; basement. You cannot equal this for value.

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ONE-YEAR-OLD STUCCO BUNGALOW
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NEAR SCHOOL ¼-ACRE LOT

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$5500

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$9000

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NICE JAMES BAY HOME

GOOD 7-ROOM HOUSE, ON DESIRABLE street, close to Beacon Hill Park and sea; 3 bedrooms, living-room, dining-room and kitchen; 3 fireplaces; nice garden; garage. Terms arranged.

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ATTRACTIVE APPEARANCE, ON HIGH ground, with view of Gorge waters; living-room with fireplace, three bedrooms, bright kitchen and bathroom; all good-size rooms; pretty lot, in garden and lawns. Something with unusual value.

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$1600—FOUR-ROOM BUNGALOW ON three nice lots. Good location for chickens or small fruits. Easy terms.

$950—FOUR-ROOM HOUSE ON GOOD lot. Completely furnished.

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78 HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

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WELLINGTON STREET—A very fine stucco bungalow in excellent condition. Five large, well-planned rooms and one well-fitted-up room in basement. All built-in features; breakfast nook; edge-grained floors; furnace, garage; and good-sized lot in garden $5250

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LINDEN AVENUE—A fine modern bungalow, containing five large rooms and good attic, exceptionally handsome drawing-room with fine open fireplace and large French doors to dining-room; panelled walls, beamed ceilings, built-in features, hardwood floors; basement, furnace, garage. A rare bargain at $4000

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$11,550—STUCCO RESIDENCE, now placed on the market for the first time. Has 120 feet waterfront. The house is of special design. Has 7 rooms and two bathrooms.

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FOR SALE—FINE WATERFRONTAGE LOT, nearly half acre, on lake, near Victoria; excellent swimming beach; suitable for camping or cottage; very private. Address Owner, Box 7107, Colonist.

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ONE ACRE; GORGE DISTRICT

$1000

HERE is an opportunity to secure a choice waterfront lot at a sacrifice price, consisting of approximately one acre of land, all cleared, good surroundings. Terms if desired.

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OAK BAY LOTS
SPECIAL PRICE FOR QUICK SALE

OWNER instructs us to sell immediately. The price is lowered to insure speedy sale. Situate

JUST SOUTH OF OAK BAY AVENUE

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BUY A CAMP SITE AT BEAUTIFUL Shawnigan while the prices are low. We offer a subdivision of beautiful waterfront lots, choice location, with sandy beach in front, at $150 to $250 each. Also a few close to water, with access to water by road, for $25 each. We can also give you a block of five lots, with waterfrontage, for $250. These are bargains and will show a profit to the buyer. T. P. McConnell, Pemberton Bldg.

81 PROPERTY WANTED

OAK BAY—OUR LOCATION, COMBINED with Eastern and Southern connections, place us in a position to handle sales and rentals in this district to best advantage. Oak Bay Realty Co., Newport Ave. Car Terminal, Oak Bay. Phone 3425.

WANTED TO BUY OR RENT, NEAR SEA—Small cottage; must be reasonable price and on easy terms. Box 7364, Colonist.

82 ACREAGE FOR SALE

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WATERFRONT

MILL BAY, ON MALAHAT DRIVE—10 acres with waterfront lot. Cottage, space for five rooms. Quantity lumber and shingles. A BARGAIN AT $1,100, TERMS.

IDEAL POULTRY RANCH AT ELK LAKE

5 ACRES, over two acres cleared, balance slashed and several years' fuel. Good soil, all fenced and tile-drained. Well, gasoline pump. All kinds of bearing fruits and small fruits. Electric light, phone. Pleasantly situated 4-roomed house, 3-piece bathroom, modern plumbing. Small barn. SPLENDIDLY EQUIPPED CHICKEN HOUSES FOR 600 BIRDS, garage, wash house, brooder house. Stage and school bus. $1,250 down; easy terms $4250

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5 ACRES, high situation, overlooking sea, with a five-roomed bungalow, open fireplace, 3-piece bathroom, basement. Bringing in a revenue of $1,000 annually. About 7 miles from town. Barn, cabin. Terms $5000

GENTLEMAN'S COUNTRY HOME

5 ACRES, MORE OR LESS, 4 MILES FROM TOWN. High location, OVERLOOKING LAKE. 7-roomed house, 3-piece bathroom, full basement and furnace. Garage, barn, stabling, CHICKEN HOUSES, TENNIS COURT, and well laid out approach. BEARING ORCHARD AND SMALL FRUITS. A beautiful home, close to town, at $9000

6 ACRES, best of soil, all fenced. Splendid sea view. Two minutes' walk from beach. A six-roomed modern house, 3-piece bathroom. Good-sized barns, garage, well with gasoline engine and tank. Bearing orchard. Taxes $12. Reduced to $5000

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FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—50 ACRES UNimproved, 8 miles from Duncan (assessed for $2,000), for unimproved property or initial payment on house and lot in Victoria. Will sacrifice for a few hundred dollars. Must sell. What have you? Apply Box 7702, Colonist.

FOR SALE—22 ACRES ON WEST SAANICH paved road, all fenced, spring water all the year. $150 per acre, easy terms. For further particulars apply Owner, Box 7722, Colonist.

MOST ATTRACTIVE WATERFRONT ON on Vancouver Island, not far from Victoria. Six acres. House and barn, all improved. $10,000; terms if desired. Would exchange for stock farm. Owner, Box 7549, Colonist.

PRE-EMPTIONS—Can locate several good claims in Lillooet district, close to railroad. Good soil, splendid sheep and cattle country. Apply Locators, 302 Central Bldg.

BRENTWOOD BAY

12 ACRES, one of the nicest pieces of property at Brentwood Bay. Within five minutes' walk of the Brentwood College and the Saanich Arm. Would make ideal building site.

WILL SELL FOR $300 PER ARCE.

For further particulars apply to
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$16 PER ACRE—216 ACRES, 12 MILES from Victoria. Six acres cleared; 60 acres logged. House, buildings. Orchard, timber, well watered. Ideal for sheep or fox farming. Box 7724, Colonist. Phone 5481R1.

3 ACRES, ALL CULTIVATED, 2 ACRES heavy soil. 5-roomed house, chicken houses and shed, fenced and cross-fenced. City water. Only $2,300, very easy terms.

2 ACRES, ALL CULTIVATED, HEAVY SOIL; waterfront, Portage Inlet. Good 4-roomed cottage, chicken houses, stable. City water, light. Only $1,800; very easy terms. Bagshawe & Co.

83 ACREAGE FOR RENT

FOR RENT OR SALE—OVER FORTY ACRES good pasture land, nearly all clover; good spring of water where cattle can help themselves. Rent two hundred dollars a year. Apply phone Keating 8L.

IMPROVED ACREAGE TO RENT. F. F. Higgs, 208 Pemberton Bldg.

85 FARMS FOR SALE

BEAUTIFUL RESIDENTIAL HOME OF 3 acres, overlooking the water, close to Victoria on paved road. A modern 7-roomed bungalow, large airy rooms, open fireplaces, furnace. Good water supply, light and phone. Double garage. Chicken houses. Furnished cottage. All laid out in fruit, garden and shrubberies. Taxes for 1926 about $30. Owner is leaving the district and has reduced price to $6,000 for quick turnover. P.O. Box 730.

FARM, 6½ ACRES. 7-ROOM BUNGALOW. City water. Modern conveniences. Mile of church, school, sea. Owner, Box 7592, Colonist.

FOR SALE—8 ACRES BEAUTIFUL WATERfront; small house, orchard, magnificent view and oak park. $4,000, easy terms. Apply Owner, Box 7549, Colonist.

HERE IS A REAL FARM BARGAIN—35 acres; 12 acres under cultivation, all A1 soil; balance light timber. Eight-roomed house, large living-room and dining-room, both with fireplace, bathroom and plumbing, water laid on. Large barn. Living stream. Only 6 miles out. Beautiful situation, close to sea. $8,000, easy terms. Bagshawe & Co., Sayward Bldg.

LARGE COUNTRY ESTATE. TWO HOURS from Victoria. Modern city home, all conveniences. Stock or mixed farming proposition; good outbuildings. Sportsmen's paradise. Best up-country buy on Island. $15,000 handles. No phone information. Oak Bay Realty Co., Newport Avenue car terminal, Oak Bay.

10 ACRES, WATERFRONT, GORDON HEAD, all cultivated in fruit. House and outbuildings. Lovely home for someone. Price $10,000. Charles F. Eagles, 311 Sayward Block.

85 FARMS FOR SALE (Continued)

5 ACRES, FRONTING ON WATER, FACING Victoria; very choice, $3,200, terms. Get particulars from Owner, Box 7549, Colonist.

$3500 POULTRY FARM OF 3½ ACRES with 5-room modern bungalow with city light. All good land, cleared and cultivated. $1,000 cash. F. F. Higgs, 208 Pemberton Bldg.

3 ACRES, WITH 5-ROOM HOUSE, BARN and garage; mixed fruit trees. Pollock, Hughes Road, Burnside Park.

114-ACRE FARM, HALF MILE LAKE frontage; 32 acres cleared, 40 acres slashed and burned. Five-room bungalow, two barns and large chicken house. In good locality. Excellent shooting and fishing. Price $10,000. Listing 123.

160-ACRE FARM, with 100 acres of very good swamp land, cleared, consisting of black loam and peat land. Excellent for growing potatoes or seeds of any kind. If you are looking for a bargain, this is one. Price $9,000. Listing No. 97.

38½ ACRES; 13 acres cleared, balance not hard to clear. Five-room bungalow, garage and outbuildings. Price $3,600. Listing No. 107.

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87 FARMS WANTED

ADVERTISER REQUIRES 3-5 ACRE IMproved poultry farm, 10 miles of city; lake or sea frontage preferred, must be snap and terms easy. Full particulars to Box 7672, Colonist.

FARM LANDS—If you have raw or improved farm land in Saskatchewan to sell, write to L. B. Henn, Dinsmore, Saskatchewan.

WANTED TO RENT—SMALL CHICKEN farm, with modern five-room bungalow, close in. Box 7669, Colonist.

Best Buy in Saanich Today
6 ACRES
Excellent soil, plenty of water, good revenue, well built house, barns, chicken houses, tools, etc.
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IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF THE LATE DR. LOGAN MURRAY MORE, Deceased

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims against the late Dr. L. M. More, who died at Victoria, B.C., on the 2nd day of January, 1927, are required to send by post or deliver, to The Royal Trust Company, Belmont House, Victoria, British Columbia, as one of the executors under the will of the said the late Dr. L. M. More, their names and addresses and full particulars of their claims and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

And take notice that after the first day of July, 1927, the Executors of the estate of the said Dr. L. M. More, will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, and that the Executors of the said estate will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person of whose claims the Executors shall not then have received notice.

Dated at Victoria this 25th day of May, A.D. 1927.

ELLIOTT, MACLEAN & SHANDLEY,
Solicitors for The Royal Trust Company, and Rachel More,
Executors under the will of the said the late Dr. L. M. More.

TENDERS

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to noon, June 8, for painting schools (labor only).

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Specifications may be obtained on application.

BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES OF SAANICH
P. L. Rawlins, Secretary.
Royal Oak, B.C.

NOTICE

SAANICH WATERWORKS DEPARTMENT

All Saanich residents in the district lying south of McRae Avenue and Ernest Avenue, are hereby notified that the water will be turned off on Monday, May 30, 1927, from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

R. R. F. SEWELL, C.M.C.

AIR CONQUESTS OF LAST EIGHT YEARS EPICS OF HEROISM

The following notable long-distance flights over land and water have been made in recent years:

1919—United States naval seaplane NC-4 flew from Trepassy, British North America, via the Azores, to Lisbon, Portugal, 2,150 miles, in 26 hours 45 minutes actual flying time.

Captain John Alcock and Lieutenant Arthur W. Brown, British aviators, flew in a biplane from St. John's, Nfld., to Clifden, Ireland, 1,960 miles, in 16 hours 12 minutes.

British dirigible baloon R-34 flew from East Fortune, Scotland, to Mineola, N.Y., 3,130 miles, in 108 hours 12 minutes, and returned from Mineola to Pulham, England, 3,200 miles, in 74 hours 56 minutes.

1922—A hydroplane flew from Portugal to Brazil.

1923—French dirigible Dixmude flew from Marseilles to the edge of the Sahara desert and back, 4,500 miles, in 118 hours 41 minutes.

1924—United States Army planes made the first flight around the world, 26,103 miles, in 365 hours 11 minutes flying time and a total elapsed period of 175 days from departure from and return to Seattle, Wash.

American dirigible ZR-2, later named the Los Angeles, flew from Friedrichshafen, Germany, to the Lakehurst, N.J., naval air station, 5,066 miles, in 81 hours 17 minutes.

1925—Commander Francesco de Pinedo, Italian aviator, flew from Rome to Japan and return, 34,000 miles.

1925-26—Alan Cobham flew from London to Capetown, South Africa, and return, 16,130 miles, in 170 hours.

1926—Cobham flew from London to Melbourne, Australia, and return, 26,000 miles, in 320 hours flying time.

Commander Ramion Franco and three companions flew from Spain to Argentina, 6,230 miles, flying time not given.

Amundsen-Ellsworth-Nobile transpolar flight was made from Rome to Alaska from April 10 to May 14 in semi-rigid airship Norge.

Lieutenant-Commander Richard E. Byrd, U.S.N., flew over North Pole in airplane in trip of approximately 1,600 miles in 15 hours 51 minutes.

1926-27—Five United States Army planes, reduced to four by the destruction of one, made a 20,000-mile "goodwill" flight around South America, starting from Texas shortly before Christmas and returning last month.

1927—On February 13 Commander de Pinedo began a projected 50,000-mile flight from Rome to Africa and the two Americas and return.

Air Pilot Killed

DETROIT, May 28.—Philip Downs, test pilot for the Woodson Aircraft Company of Napoleon, Ohio, was killed yesterday when the wings of his plane folded and the machine fell approximately 100 feet at the Ford Airport here.

GERMAN MACHINERY MAY BE DISLOCATED

Political Conflict Between Prussia and Reich Reaches Acute Stage—New System Urged

BERLIN, May 28.—Prussia's wrangle with the Reich has reached a stage where the administrative machinery of the entire country is threatened with dangerous dislocation. As long as the Prussian Government is controlled by a coalition, dominated chiefly by the Socialists, and the national government by one in which the Nationalists have the upper hand, there seems to be no way out of the present bitter conflict short of a reformation of Germany's cumbersome federal system from the ground up.

A movement to this end is growing fast. At its head stands no less an authority than Dr. Kuelz, who surrendered the portfolio of internal affairs when Chancellor Marx brought the Nationalists into his Cabinet last January. Today Dr. Kuelz holds the post of Reich Commissioner for the International Press Exhibition to be staged at Cologne next year. This office necessarily places him in close and friendly contact with the leading German newspapers and enables him to gain a nation-wide hearing for any project he sponsors.

OBLITERATE STATES

What the former Minister of the Interior, than whom nobody is better informed on German interstate relations, proposes is simply the complete abolition of the score of states now composing the German Federation. In their place he wants to establish three administrative units—North, Middle and South Germany—to which ultimately a fourth would be added, the present Austrian Republic.

The northern area would embrace Prussia, the Hansa cities and the diminutive states encircled by Prussian territory, Middle Saxony, Thuringia, Hesse and the Prussian provinces lying among Southern Bavaria, Wurttemburg and Baden.

This solution, Dr. Kuelz contends, would eliminate the bickering constantly going on between the great state of Prussia and the smaller states which the Prussian Government contends are favored unduly by the federal authorities for political reasons. It would place each of the component parts of the Reich on a basis of approximate equality as regards population, while preserving the historical and cultural traditions.

Dr. Kuelz, in effect, argues that while there is a substantial difference between the North and the South German, there is mighty little between the Hamburger and the Berliner.

MEANS FISCAL REFORMS

The scheme outlined above obviously would have to be followed by a reform of the complicated arrangement under which a share of the Federal revenues is allocated to the various states. In itself, however, it would diminish considerably the complexities and injustices of the present financial system, which has root in the existing dispute between Prussia and the Reich. Braun, the Prussian Premier, who is a Socialist, openly charges the Marx Cabinet with sacrificing his state to the exigencies of the Bavarian Nationalists and the Baden Centrists.

The Junker faction and the Catholic Centre control the National Government and Prussia is sabotaged in favor of the less important commonwealths to which those parties are more beholden, Braun asserts.

"Against this anti-Prussian tendency Prussia must oppose her full strength," the Premier told his Legislature the other day in the course of an impassioned attack on the Reich.

It is evident that the task of equitably distributing the state's share of the Federal income would be far less difficult if there were three or four states of about the same size instead of eighteen ranging in population from 40,000,000 to 40,000. The administrative cost, an exorbitant expense which has been stressed by the Agent-General for Reparation would also be reduced.

MIGHT AFFECT BEER TAX

The tax on beer, a source of annoyance to the whole country, might even be lowered or removed altogether. It is this harsh impost which started Prussia's present campaign against the Reich. It was kept in effect by the Federal Finance Minister in order to provide for Bavaria and Baden what Prussia called a "gift" of 40,000,000 marks out of the national treasury. An action has been started by the Prussian Government in the German Supreme Court to test the legality of this procedure.

Meanwhile guerrilla warfare is being waged between the Federal and Prussian Ministries of the Interior, the former being headed by the Nationalist Vonkeudell and the latter by the Socialist Grzesinsky. Since the functions of the two departments often collide or overlap, individual citizens are the principal sufferers thereby. The national legislative programme is endangered moreover, for in the Federal Council Prussia uses her powerful representation to block Federal measures wherever possible.

REVISION OF LAWS

The forthcoming revision of Germany's law code is likely to be sadly hampered by this obstructionist strife. There is scarcely a single statute or provision of which Prussia's Socialists and the Reich's Nationalists can agree. One of the few exceptions may be the lunacy law, the need for revising which has been brought forcibly before the public eye recently through several sensational scandals.

In Germany today the district health officer is the court of last appeal in questions of insanity. If he considers an individual so insane as to be a danger to the community, that person may be incarcerated in an asylum for life. Habeas corpus application to a regular court is not recognized. Moreover, any physician is empowered to issue a certificate on the strength of which a person may be thrown into confinement as an imbecile for a minimum of twenty-four hours.

That is what occurred in the case of a well-to-do dairy owner. His wife, from whom he has been separated for several years, decided to possess herself of his household belongings. She told a doctor her husband was crazy, had him enveigled by subterfuge into a private sanitarium and imprisoned there in a small room with four dangerous lunatics and then proceeded to move the contents of his home to her own domicile.

Hours later the man was released. Under the existing law he is powerless to collect damages either from his wife or the physician whom she allegedly duped.

INJUSTICE OF LAWS

In another case a young Berliner who wanted his mother's apartment for himself and his bride swore that the aged woman was insane and had her taken to a municipal asylum. Although she was finally found mentally normal, the unfortunate woman was kept under observation in the psychopathic ward for a whole week. On the other hand, a lunatic who, at the behest of a single physician, was released from custody, the next day slaughtered his wife and children with an axe.

To prevent these anomalies and deprive the individual alienist of despotic and irresponsible authority accorded to him under the existing statutes, the Prussian Welfare Ministry is preparing a bill requiring that lunacy charges be passed on by state or municipal boards of inquiry. And simultaneously the Federal Government is drafting another measure dealing with the same subject. So even here a conflict is possible.

DIVORCE LAWS A PROBLEM

One of the major problems confronting the German solons is the overhauling of the nation's divorce laws. Today divorces are easy in Germany if both husband and wife agree to part and one or both confesses marital infidelity. It is not so simple, however, when only one party to the marriage is seeking his or her freedom or when neither will admit statutory guilt.

Cruelty is recognized as a ground for divorce only when severe physical suffering can be proved. Under the aegis of the liberal Berliner Tageblatt prominent physicians and jurists are uniting in a demand that certain conditions of health and spirits be accepted as justifying a legal rupture of the matrimonial contract.

Medical authorities are quoted as recording the fact that incompatibility in marriage may produce grave damage to the physical and mental well-being of husband or wife or both. At present, however, the hygienic aspects of an unhappy union, which of course have an important bearing on the health of the couple's children and the future race, are overlooked altogether by the German law.

It is also urged that a period of three years, during which a person formally adjudged to be insane may not be divorced, shall be reduced to one year or even less.

The easier divorce campaign has been offset by a drive, initiated by Professor Groatjahn, who holds the chair of social hygiene in the University of Berlin, for repeal of the statute forbidding a German policeman to marry during the first seven years of his service. The professor and his associates logically contend that instead of being prohibited marriage should be encouraged among a group of men who require the influence of the home to counteract their professional contact with immorality.

SOMETHING NEW

They were just about to film the most thrilling part of the drama. The hero, a dashing, fair-haired Apollo, was suspended over a high cliff by a rope.

Suddenly the camera man seemed doubtful.

"Look here," he said. "Suppose the rope happens to break?"

The producer, a man ever on the look-out for new stunts, dropped his megaphone.

"By heavens, George," he exclaimed, "you've said it at last! That's a great idea!"

"Don't worry. He can hit, but he can't box!"

"I wish he could box, but not hit!"—Pele Mele, Paris.

Canada's Three Score Years of Nationhood in Farming Development

The production of foodstuffs must always remain Canada's basic industry. This is insured by her very immensity, the fertility of her soil and the bounty of Nature which decrees the variations of frost and snow, sunshine and rain necessary for the growth of fruit, grain and vegetables unrivalled the world over. In the item of wheat alone the year of Confederation saw a crop of 10,323,873 bushels for the entire territory now known as the Dominion of Canada; last year the total production of wheat was 406,269,000 bushels. In the last sixty years the development of machinery has made farm work much less laborious. In 1867 the cutting of grain by machinery was comparatively new, and the machines then in use were crude and unwieldy. In that year a Canadian company produced the handrake reaper, shown in Mr. Jeffreys' sketch, which was far superior to any manufactured before. On many a farm of that day the entire grain crop was cut by the old-fashioned cradle. An expert cradler, followed by a man with a wooden rake, who raked the windrows into sheaves and bound them with a wisp of straw, could harvest from three to four acres a day. Nowadays a power-driven reaper-thresher which cuts a fifteen-foot swath and carries a crew of two men, can cut and thresh forty acres a day. The artist shows the old and new methods, together with another labor-saving device—a modern tractor.

Raw Fur Production Declines Slightly

The total value of the raw fur production of Canada for the season 1925-'26 was $14,905,588, compared with $15,441,564 in 1924-'25, and $15,643,817 in 1923-'24. These values represent the total market value of the pelts of fur-bearing animals taken in Canada, comprising pelts of animals taken by trappers and pelts of ranch-bred animals. The value of the latter, constituting approximately 5 per cent of the total in 1925-'26; 4 per cent in 1924-'25; and 5½ per cent in 1923-'24. Muskrat is first in order of value in 1925-'26, with 1,953,545 pelts valued at $3,014,175, followed by beaver, with 111,707 pelts valued at $2,208,855; mink with 156,645 pelts valued at $2,024,710; red fox with 89,956 pelts valued at $1,263,606; white fox with 35,025 pelts valued at $1,091,104; and silver fox with 10,972 pelts valued at $848,783. The values of these six kinds together amounted to $10,451,293, or 70 per cent of the total value of the raw fur production for the season. Increases over the preceding season in number of pelts are shown for silver, patch, red and blue fox, ermine, fisher, lynx, skunk and wolf, including coyote or prairie wolf. Muskrat has shown a steady decrease in number of pelts for the past three seasons, and beaver a decrease for the past four seasons. The average price for muskrat pelts in 1925-'26 was $1.54 compared with $1.11 in the preceding season, and $1.15 in the season 1923-'24. The average price for beaver pelts was $19.77, compared with $20.22 and $15.03. The number of silver fox pelts is the largest shown for any of the past five seasons, although the total value is less than the total for the season 1923-'24, due to the difference in average price per pelt, which was $77.36 in 1925-'26, compared with $105.86 in 1923-'24. Average prices for most kind of furs were lower in 1925-'26 than in 1924-'25, the exceptions being badger, ermine, mink, muskrat and racoon, for which the average prices were higher.

Ontario's production of raw furs in 1925-'26 had a total value of $3,429,201; Quebec's a value of $2,122,778. The total for the Maritime Provinces was $898,389, and the value for the Yukon Territory was $320,803.

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SEARCH CONTINUES FOR TUGBOAT DEAD

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., May 28.—Modestly asserting that he had no "trouble" with a large octopus which he encountered and vanquished in an under-sea duel on the floor of Puget Sound yesterday, Wm. Hook, a diver, was back at his more prosaic work of repairing fish traps today.

Hook emerged from the water yesterday with the body of H. J. Healey, cook of the ill-fated tug Warren, which disappeared en route from Seattle to Victoria on Monday night. Hook first saw the devilfish while he was mending a break in a fish trap. In the clutches of the monster's tentacles Hook discerned the body of a man.

Grasping a pikepole, Hook gave battle, thrusting and tearing at the beast. Hook finally conquered the foe and released the body of Healey.

"I had no trouble at all with the devilfish," was his version of the battle. "I saw it. I waved my arms and it went away."

Search was continued today for the bodies of the four other men of the Warren's crew. Floating Diesel oil on the surface of the Sound near Middle Point has given the searchers a clue to the resting place of the tug. Grappling operations were going forward slowly, as the water at the place where the vessel is believed to be sunk is 180 feet deep.

Contract for Air Mail Route Again Goes to Pioneer

SEATTLE, May 28.—Word was received here today that Eddie Hubbard, pioneer air mail pilot, has been awarded the contract for the Seattle-Victoria air mail for another year. His bid of $190 a round trip was the lower of two bids.

COASTWISE LINER WILL SAIL TODAY

Seventy Passengers Will Board Emma Alexander Here for Voyage to California

Seventy passengers will board the Pacific Steamship Company's vessel Emma Alexander at the Rithet Consolidated piers this morning for the voyage to California ports.

The Emma is expected to dock here from Sound ports at about 7 a.m. and to sail two hours later.

Among the passengers embarking on the vessel here will be Miss E. McClinon, Miss F. W. Venker, Miss C. E. Ingram, Miss J. Crystall, Miss G. Carter, Miss L. Bartholomew, Mrs. E. M. Provis, Mr. E. N. Hately, Miss Mona Jewell, Mrs. P. R. Davis, Mrs. A. R. Croft, Miss M. Dowell, Miss H. Pugsley, Miss G. De Back, Mrs. J. A. De Back, Miss F. M. Eachern, Mrs. E. M. Eachern, Mr. A. A. Cox, Miss E. Blun, Miss Irene Bowden, Mrs. E. Lackey, Mr. W. F. Williamson, Mrs. E. E. Helpenny, Miss A. Murray, Mr. E. J. Lynch, Mrs. E. Carter, Miss A. Morris, Mrs. L. Baillie, Mrs. R. Obtover, Mr. and Mrs. McLellan, Mr. F. J. Hook, Mrs. A. Prenter, Miss K. Prenter, Mrs. M. Glass, Mr. and Mrs. T. Cornish and Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Buttle.

C.P.R. TELEGRAPH TO LAY NEW CABLES

Facilities for Handling Traffic to Be Augmented Early Next Month

To increase facilities for handling business to Vancouver Island and the Transpacific cable station at Bamfield, the Canadian Pacific Telegraph Company will lay a new cable from Point Grey to Departure Bay, near Nanaimo, about June 4. The work will be in charge of Captain C. C. Fleming, of the cableship Restorer.

A new two-conductor cable will also be laid in the Alberni Canal, from Alberni to Bamfield.

Between Point Grey and Departure Bay a three-conductor cable will be placed by the Restorer. The company already has two cables to the Island, and when the third is in position nine wires will be in use.

The new cables will arrive here from England early in June, by the Dutch steamship Drechtdijk, and will be transferred to the Restorer.

E. & N. RAILWAY SCHEDULE

Trains leave Victoria at 9 a.m. and 4:55 p.m. daily, for Wellington and way points.

The 9 a.m. train runs through to Courtenay and Port Alberni daily, except Sunday.

Returning, the trains arrive Victoria at 10:50 a.m. and 5 p.m.

On Sundays, between May 22nd and August 28th, inclusive, Train No. 2 will be put back two hours and leave Nanaimo at 3:30 p.m. instead of 1:30 p.m.

For further information apply E. & N. Ticket Office, Phone 1594; or, City Ticket Office, Phone 1270.

INAUGURATION OF SUMMER TRAIN SERVICE
Effective May 15th, 1927

The Canadian Pacific Railway announces that the "Trans-Canada Limited" between Montreal, Toronto and Vancouver will resume service, leaving Vancouver 6:30 p.m. daily, carrying exclusively standard sleeping cars and compartment observation car.

The "Imperial" (Vancouver-Montreal) will leave at 9:00 p.m. daily.

The "Toronto Express" (Vancouver-Toronto) will leave at 9:00 a.m. daily.

"Coast-Kootenay Express" (Vancouver-Nelson) will leave at 6:50 p.m. daily.

"Fraser Valley Local" (Vancouver-Ruby Creek) will leave at 5 p.m. daily.

"Vancouver-Huntington Local" will leave at 7:30 a.m. daily except Sunday.

Effective June 9, "The Mountaineer" solid through train to Chicago (via Minneapolis and St. Paul) without change, will leave Vancouver at 7:45 p.m. daily.

For further information apply, City Ticket Office, 1102 Government Street, Phone 1370. Or at Wharf Ticket Office, Phone 121.

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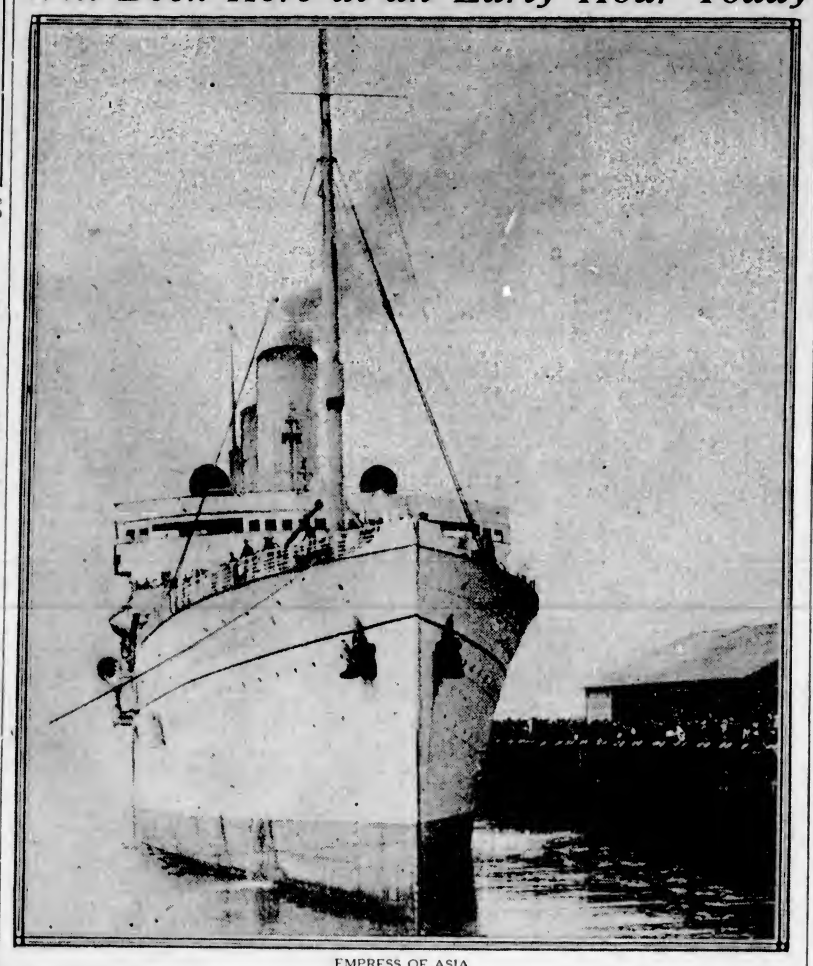

EMPRESS OF ASIA

EMPRESS OF ASIA DUE THIS MORNING

Big Canadian Pacific Liner Will Reach William Head at Early Hour Today

With a total of 1,056 passengers on board, the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Asia, inbound from the Orient, will reach quarantine at 5 o'clock this morning, according to latest wireless advices from the vessel last night.

The big ship will tie up at the Rithet Consolidated Piers at 6:45 o'clock.

Saloon passengers on the Asia total 230. There are 104 second-class passengers on board, sixty-five in the third class and 656 in the steerage.

After discharging cargo here and unloading a consignment of mail the Asia will sail for Vancouver.

PASSENGER MEN TO MEET HERE

The Pacific Northwest Passenger Association will hold a meeting at the Empress Hotel on June 3, according to information received yesterday by Mr. A. P. Chapman Jr., agent here for the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway.

Announcement of the meeting was made in a letter to Mr. Chapman from Mr. J. F. Bahl, assistant general passenger agent of the line at Seattle.

H.M.S. COLOMBO TO VISIT THIS PORT

British Light Cruiser Will Arrive at Esquimalt Harbor on July 25, It Is Announced

H.M.S. Colombo, British light cruiser, will arrive here from her South Pacific Station on July 25, according to an announcement made at the Royal Canadian Naval Barracks, Esquimalt, yesterday.

The Colombo will remain at Esquimalt, where she will be open to inspection by the public, until August 5. On that date she will sail for New Westminster. On August 9 she will proceed to Vancouver. Then she will steam up the coast to Prince Rupert, arriving at the northern port on August 20. She is due at Comox on August 27 and at Nanaimo on September 2.

By September 7, the Colombo will be back in Esquimalt Harbor. She will sail for the South on September 11.

FLORIDA MARU TO LOAD LUMBER HERE

Will Take on 900,000 Feet From Local Mills—Erviken and Capto Due Soon

First of three lumber vessels scheduled to load at this port in the immediate future, the Florida Maru is expected to dock at the Rithet Consolidated piers from Vancouver tonight.

Starting tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock, the Florida will load 900,000 feet of lumber from the Canadian Puget Sound mill, the Wilfert Lumber Company, Limited, Moore & Whittington and the Sydney Mills.

The Norwegian freighter Erviken is due to load lumber at the Ogden Point piers on June 3. The Capto is also scheduled to arrive here on that date for a cargo of lumber.

All three vessels are being handled here by King Brothers.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

SEATTLE, May 28.—Arrived: Point Fermin, Florence Luckenbach, Portland; Glymont, San Francisco; Redondo, Alaska; Victoria, Southwestern Alaska; F. J. Luckenbach, Stanwood, Emma Alexander, Tanana, Gladiator, President Jefferson, Condor, Tacoma. Sailed: Flow City, F. J. Luckenbach, Emma Alexander, San Francisco; Captain A. F. Lucas, El Segundo; Gaslana, cruise; Alaska, Alaska; San Pedro, Olympia, Los Angeles; Norco, Ketchikan, Alabama Maru, Tacoma.

PORTLAND, Ore., May 28.—Arrived: Grootendyk, Rotterdam; Hamlin F. McCormick, Caddopeak, Mekena, San Francisco; Pacific Fir, Tacoma. Sailed: Ma Culburra, Admiral Schley, Silverado, F. H. Loop, San Francisco; Glasgow Maru, Dublin; Northwestern Miller, Manchester; Orient, Aberdeen; Davenport, Coos Bay; Wahkeena, Pearl Harbor; Walter A. Luckenbach, Boston via Puget Sound.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 28.—Arrived: Newport, Esther Johnson, Jane Nettleton, Doylstown, H F Alexander, J. C. Pitsimmons, San Pedro; Oregonian, Boston; Mexican, Port Angeles; Docket, Mobile; Kewenee, Portland; Manualani, Honolulu. Sailed: District of Columbia, San Pedro; Los Angeles, Bear Port, Cathwood, Jacox, Wallingford, San Pedro; Mongolia, New York; Montreal Maru, Canadian Observer, Vancouver; President McKinley, Honolulu, H. F. Alexander, Daisy Gray, Seattle; Tuscaloosa City, London; Lochgoil, Rotterdam; Dakotan, Boston.

Arrived

NEW YORK, May 28.—C. A. Larsen, San Pedro.

GLASGOW, May 27.—Gaelic Star, San Francisco.

YOKOHAMA, May 26.—Tenyo Maru, San Francisco.

Sailed

NEW YORK, May 28.—Hadnet, Vistula, San Pedro; Greylock, San Francisco

PHILADELPHIA, May 26—Sunbeam, San Pedro.

GOTHENBURG, May 24.—Annie Johnson, San Francisco.

PANAMA CANAL, May 27—Betterton, New York; Aladdin, Providence; Iowan, Hannawa, Swed, San Francisco.

C.G.M.M. POSITIONS

CANADIAN HIGHLANDER—En route from Glasgow, due here June 17.

CANADIAN IMPORTER—En route Victoria to Montreal; due July 18.

CANADIAN BEAVER — Arrived Kingston, May 11; bound Guadeloupe and Port of Spain.

CANADIAN RANGER—En route from Montreal, due here June 12.

CANADIAN SEIGNEUR — Arrived Quebec, May 1.

CANADIAN SPINNER—Arrived New Westminster, May 18; sails May 28.

CANADIAN TRANSPORTER—Arrived Vancouver, May 13; sails May 23.

CANADIAN WINNER — Arrived Montreal, May 18.

CANADIAN COASTER—Arrived San Pedro, May 14; due May 3?

CANADIAN FARMER—Arrived May 18 from South.

CANADIAN OBSERVER — Arrived Ocean Falls, May 11; due at Vancouver, June 2.

CANADIAN ROVER—Arrived Blaney, May 15; due here June 8.

SHIPPING CALENDAR
To Arrive

ALABAMA MARU—From Orient, May 28.
AORANGI—From Antipodes, May 27.
EMPRESS OF ASIA—From Orient, May 26.
YOKOHAMA MARU—From Orient, May 61.
PLORIDA MARU—From Orient, May 31.
STORVIKEN—From Orient, May 31.
PRESIDENT GRANT—From Orient, June 6.
ARABIA MARU—From Orient, June 6.
CANADIAN RANGER — From Montreal, June 12.
PROTESILAUS—From Orient, June 14.
TOYAMA MARU—From Orient, June 14.
CANADIAN HIGHLANDER—From Glasgow, June 17.
EMPRESS OF CANADA — From Orient, June 18.
PRESIDENT MADISON — From Orient, June 20.
KAGA MARU—From Orient, June 22.
NIAGARA—From Antipodes, June 24.
ARIZONA MARU—From Orient, June 26.

To Sail

AORANGI—For Antipodes, June 1.
SHIDZUOKA MARU—For Orient, June 6.
PRESIDENT JEFFERSON — For Orient, June 7.
EMPRESS OF ASIA—For Orient, June 8.
ALABAMA MARU—For Orient, June 13.
TYNDAREUS—For Orient, June 14.
YOKOHAMA MARU—For Orient, June 14
PRESIDENT GRANT—For Orient, June 21.
ARABIA MARU—For Orient, June 21.
EMPRESS OF CANADA — For Orient, June 30.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS
MAY, 1927
CHINA AND JAPAN

TALTHYBIUS—Mails close May 3, 12 noon. Due at Yokohama, May 18.
ARIZONA MARU—Mails close May 5, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, May 30.
PRESIDENT PIERCE—Mails close May 16, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, May 23; Shanghai, May 26; Hong Kong, May 29.
EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—Mails close May 19, 8 p.m. Due at Yokohama, May 30; Shanghai, June 3; Hong Kong, June 6.
PRESIDENT TAFT—Mails close May 24, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, June 5; Shanghai, June 8; Hong Kong, June 12.

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND

NIAGARA—Mails close May 4, 8 p.m. Due at Auckland, May 23; Sydney, May 28.
SONOMA (PM and Australia only)—Mails close May 6, 4 p.m. Due at Sydney, June 3.
MAKURA—Mails close May 13, 4 p.m. Due at Wellington, June 6; Sydney, June 11.
VENTURA (Australia only)—Mails close May 20, 4 p.m. Due at Sydney, June 23.
AORANGI—Mails close, June 1, 4 p.m. Due at Auckland, June 20; Sydney, June 25.

CUTTER RESCUES DRIFTING DORY

HALIFAX, May 28.—For the second time in his brief career as a bank fisherman, Luis F. Diaz, a resident of Gloucester, Mass., has safely returned to land after lonely days and nights adrift on the Atlantic in a dory. Diaz was landed here today by the United States coastguard cutter Modoc. The lone doryman was picked up off the heaving Atlantic near Sable Island after he had been lost from his schooner, the Albert Parker, three days and nights.

Diaz said that on a previous occasion he got astray from his schooner and was able to row the eighty miles to land.

BRIDGE PLANS GIVEN OTTAWA

SPECIFICATIONS FOR THE NEW FRASER RIVER SPAN FILED

Structure Costing $2,500,000 Proposed at Ladner on New Trunk Road From Border

VANCOUVER, B.C., May 28.—Plans and specifications for the proposed low level bridge across the Fraser River between Ladner and Woodward's Landing, have been filed with the Department of Public Works at Ottawa, by the Fraser River Bridge Company, Ltd.

Announcement to this effect is made by W. C. Ditmars, who is conducting negotiations for the company.

The proposed structure will be of the vertical lift type, and will be of steel and concrete construction with trestle approaches on both banks of the river, vertical clearance when the span is lowered will be fifteen feet, and when raised to full height will be 160 feet. Total length of span approaches will be 4,500 feet. The estimated cost is $2,500,000.

If constructed, the bridge will connect the proposed new trunk road system from Ladner to the International boundary with Greater Vancouver by way of Lulu Island. The new trunk road has been suggested as a means of relieving traffic congestion on the Pacific Highway and Kingsway, and will serve traffic originating in the Fraser River Delta and across the border.

VANCOUVER MAN GETS PROMOTION

OTTAWA, May 28.—Official notice of the following appointment is given in this week's issue of The Canada Gazette:

"James Brydon, Vancouver, to be steamship inspector-general with headquarters at Vancouver."

CHEMAINUS, May 28.—The West Cactus cleared port at noon today.

A ghost is said to haunt a derelict railway station in South London. Residents living near are reported to have heard sounds like a ham sandwich moaning for mustard.

TICKET CLERKS TO TOUR CITY

Twenty-Five Senior Employees of Canadian National Railways to Reach Victoria This Morning

WILL PAY VISIT TO BENVENUTO

Twenty-five senior ticket clerks of the Canadian National Railways will arrive in the city on this morning's boat from Vancouver to become acquainted with the attractions of Victoria.

At 8:45 o'clock the visitors will start on an automobile drive to the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory, Saanich Hill. Mr. Hugh Little, of the observatory staff, will lecture to the party on the construction and operation of the gigantic telescope.

Afterwards the ticket agents will proceed to Butchart's Gardens. Then, at 11:15 o'clock, they will board the Mill Bay Ferry to cross Saanich Inlet. They will have luncheon at the Cowichan Bay Inn and will return to Victoria over the Malahat in the afternoon.

A swim in the Crystal Garden pool is scheduled for this afternoon, and the party will leave for Vancouver on the midnight boat.

The system of educating the ticket clerks by tours was started by the Canadian National Railways last year, and this is the first expedition of its kind this year. The object of the tour is to equip the clerks with first-hand information on the various routes of travel and cities throughout the Dominion.

FIRE DRIVES MAN OFF FISH CRAFT

SAILOR LEAPS OVERBOARD AS CLOTHES CATCH FIRE AFTER EXPLOSION

Vessel Dorothy Engvick Badly Damaged Before Flames Are Extinguished

VANCOUVER, B.C., May 28.—R. Webb, a sailor on the fishboat Dorothy Engvick, lying at the Union Oil floating gas station on Coal Harbor, was forced to leap overboard with his clothes in flames when fire broke out following an explosion in the engine-room today.

The vessel was badly damaged about the superstructure before the fire was extinguished by the city fire department.

Webb was standing on deck when the explosion occurred. His clothing was saturated with blazing oil, and he was forced to jump into the water to save himself. He swam ashore.

Shipping Information

TIDES AT VICTORIA

MAY

Date	Time. H. M.	Ht. Ft.	Time. H. M.	Ht. Ft.	Time. H. M.	Ht. Ft.	Time. H. M.	Ht. Ft.
1	1:59	8.7	6:14	3.0	15:54	7.4	20:58	5.9
2	2:26	8.8	6:56	1.3	17:14	7.5	21:43	3.8
3	2:50	8.9	10:40	0.6	18:21	7.8	22:33	7.2
4	3:06	8.8	11:26	0.8	20:04	8.0	23:38	7.7
5	3:17	8.8	12:14	0.9	22:10	6.3	.....	.....
6	0:32	8.1	3:24	4.6	13:04	1.3	23:03	6.5
7	2:21	8.2	3:32	8.2	13:55	1.8	23:43	5.6
8	.....	.....	.....	.....	14:43	2.4	.....	.....
9	0:13	6.8	.....	6.4	.....	6.4	18:35	3.1
10	0:44	8.4	8:30	5.0	8:39	8.6	16:25	3.8
11	0:47	6.2	8:31	5.4	11:18	8.8	17:16	4.4
12	0:41	8.1	8:10	4.6	12:51	8.8	18:08	5.0
13	0:54	8.1	6:21	4.1	14:19	8.0	18:58	5.5
14	1:09	8.2	5:40	3.5	15:45	6.3	19:43	6.0
15	1:36	8.2	5:01	2.6	17:12	6.6	20:10	6.4
16	1:39	8.3	0:28	2.3	.....	6.6	.....	6.8
17	1:44	8.5	6:55	1.7	.....	7.2	.....	7.3
18	1:39	8.7	10:32	1.3	.....	.....	.....	.....
19	1:53	8.6	11:18	1.1	.....	.....	.....	.....
20	2:21	8.0	11:56	1.0	.....	.....	.....	.....
21	3:02	8.6	12:40	1.1	.....	6.3	.....	6.2
22	0:51	6.6	13:26	1.4	23:30	6.0	.....	.....
23	2:21	7.6	4:48	6.0	14:14	1.8	22:37	6.6
24	3:54	7.1	5:46	7.3	15:03	2.5	23:02	6.1
25	0:02	5.2	8:48	6.4	15:34	3.3	23:18	6.3
26	0:01	5.1	11:02	6.7	16:48	4.2	23:38	6.3
27	0:48	3.6	12:41	6.3	17:44	5.1	.....	.....
28	0:06	2.7	7:33	2.7	14:11	6.8	18:41	5.6
29	0:38	0.0	6:14	1.6	16:34	7.0	19:38	6.5
30	1:05	0.3	8:56	0.8	17:51	7.5	20:27	7.3
31	1:31	0.4	9:38	0.8	18:56	7.6	21:16	7.7

The time used is Pacific standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of lower low water.

Esquimalt—To find the depth of water on the sill of the dry dock at any tide, add 18.6 ft. to the height of high water as above given.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET
MAY

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of May, 1927.

	Sunrise	Sunset		Sunrise	Sunset
1	4:55	7:35	17	4:31	7:47
2	4:53	7:36	18	4:30	7:48
3	4:51	7:38	19	4:29	7:49
4	4:50	7:39	20	4:27	7:51
5	4:48	7:40	21	4:26	7:52
6	4:47	7:42	22	4:25	7:54
7	4:45	7:43	23	4:24	7:55
8	4:44	7:44	24	4:23	7:57
9	4:43	7:46	25	4:22	7:58
10	4:41	7:47	26	4:21	7:59
11	4:40	7:48	27	4:21	8:00
12	4:39	7:50	28	4:20	8:01
13	4:37	7:51	29	4:19	8:02
14	4:35	7:53	30	4:18	8:03
15	4:34	7:54	31	4:17	8:04
16	4:33	7:45			

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